TODAY'S WEATHER
Showers Followed by Clearing; Fresh North Winds.

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ASSASSIN'S SHOTS FLY WILD AND MAGELSSEN STILL LIVES

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THE WEATHER

Rain.

Rain and clearing conditions are predicted for today and fair weather for tomorrow for Pittsburgh and vicinity by the Washington observer. Yesterday 2.07 inches of rain fell. The maximum was 80 and the minimum 64 yesterday. The sun rose cloudy at 5:22 and set clear at 6:40 yesterday. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	29.84	78	86	W.	Cloudy
8 p. m.	29.76	78	67	N. W.	Clear

Comparative temperature and precipitation for August 28:

	1902	1901		1902	1901
Maximum	85	81	Mean	75	75
Minimum	65	60	Precipitation	.00	T

Max. tem., 3 p. m., 89; Excess since Jan. 1, 279
Min. tem., 2 a. m., 69; Nor. precip. 31 yrs. 2.07
Mean temperature, 78; Precip. for day 2.07
Nor. tem. 31 yrs., 71; Excess for day 1.66
Excess for day ..... 5; Exc. since Aug. 1..1.78
Def., since Aug. 1, 22; Exc. since Jan. 1..4.85

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Showers Saturday, followed by clearing; Sunday fair; fresh north winds.

Ohio—Fair Saturday, cooler in southern portions; fresh north winds.

West Virginia—Partly cloudy and cooler Saturday, showers in east portion. Sunday fair.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Des Moines	68	Clear	Indianapolis	68	Clear
Chicago	66	Clear	Washington	72	Rain
St. Louis	80	Clear	Philadelphia	66	Cloudy
Cairo	84	Clear	Bismarck	68	Cloudy
Kansas City	80	Clear	Louisville	84	Pt.Cldy
New York	60	Rain	Vicksburg	86	Clear
Buffalo	60	Rain	Denver	76	Clear
Oklahoma	76	Cloudy	Salt L. City	80	Clear
Omaha	68	Clear	Marquette	56	Rain
St. Paul	64	Cloudy	Jacksonville	76	Rain
Huron	60	Cloudy	New Orleans	84	Clear

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived—August 28.

New York—La Lorraine, from Havre; Lucania, from Liverpool.

Isle of Wight—Ryndam, from New York for Rotterdam.

Scow Head—Ultonia, from Boston for Liverpool; Campania, from New York for Liverpool.

Genoa—Lahn, from New York via Naples.

Plymouth—Bluecher, from New York.

New York—Philadelphia, from Southampton and Cherbourg.

Lizard—Bremen from New York for Bremen.

Sailed—August 28.

New York—Cymric, for Liverpool.

Queenstown—Mayflower, from Liverpool for Boston.

Southampton—Furst Bismarck, from Hamburg for New York via Cherbourg.

Moville—Furnessia, from Glasgow for New York. Hamburg and Southampton for New York.

Today's Amusements.

ALVIN—Richard Golden in "King Dodo," 8:15 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—Summer stock opera company in "Fra Diavolo," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

BIJOU—"Child Slaves of New York," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

EMPIRE—"The Irish Pawnbroker," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

ACADEMY—The "Tiger Lilies" Company, 2 and 8 p. m.

SWISSVALE—Midsummer carnival and street fair.

KENNYWOOD PARK—Rocerati's band concerts, Mlle. Dumont and John Murtha, afternoon and evening.

CALHOUN PARK—Special vaudeville bill, 3:30 and 8:45 p. m.

SOUTHERN PARK—Dubois's animal actors and vaudeville, 3:30 and 8:45 p. m.

CARNEGIE BOARD OF TRADE CARNIVAL—Fifth avenue, opposite Hotel Schenley.

Report of Killing at Beirut Modified by Later Advices.

COTTON STARTS EAST

Squadron Will Be Prepared to Deal With the Situation Should Force Become Necessary.

EXPECT TROUBLE AT HARPUT

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

Constantinople, Aug. 28.—It transpires that the report that Vice Consul Magelssen was killed is incorrect. An unknown individual fired at him and the bullets passed close to the vice consul, but did not touch him.

The vali of Beirut afterward visited Vice Consul Magelssen, expressed his regrets for the outrage, and ordered measures for the arrest of the perpetrator.

The error in stating that Vice Consul Magelssen had been killed arose from a mistake in a cipher telegram.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—In response to a telegram of inquiry regarding the reported assassination of Vice Consul Magelssen at Beirut, Syria, Mr. Frever, treasurer of the board of the Presbyterian mission at Beirut, has cabled as follows:

Beirut, Syria, August 28.

Although the attack made on Vice Consul Magelssen was evidently premeditated the bullets missed him and he escaped uninjured. FREYER.

Cotton's Orders Will Stand.

OYSTER BAY, L. I., Aug. 28.—Rear Admiral Cotton's orders will not be countermanded in consequence of the dispatch received tonight that Vice Consul Magelssen at Beirut was not assassinated after all. The president heard with pleasure the news that Mr. Magelssen is still alive, but it can be said that the squadron will still go to Turkish waters.

Secretary Hay, who came to see the president today about the canal treaty,

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Still Headed for Land of Turks.

COTTON OFF TO THE SCENE OF TROUBLE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Acting Secretary Darling tonight received a cablegram from the admiral dated Villafranche, saying that he had left that place with the cruisers Brooklyn and San Francisco for Genoa on the way to Beirut.

Cause of Navy Going to Turkey

WILLIAM C. MAGELSSEN,
United States Vice Consul Who Was Not Killed at Beirut, Although Assassin Shot at Him.

HAY IS RELIEVED AT NEWS OF MAGELSSEN'S SAFETY

But Says Government's Policy Will Be Vigorous Until All the Troubles Due to Turkish Disorder Are Satisfactorily Settled.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

New York, Aug. 28.—Secretary of State John Hay expressed some surprise and a considerable degree of relief when informed in this city tonight of the latest cable information from Beirut contradicting the original dispatches that United States Vice Consul Magelssen had been murdered in the Syrian city.

Secretary Hay arrived here from Oyster Bay tonight after a protracted conference with President Roosevelt. His countenance, which had strongly reflected the gravity of the situation, underwent a sudden transformation when he was apprised of the latest dispatches.

"Where did the denial come from?" he asked.

Being informed of its credible source he replied:

"Of course it is to be hoped that the denial will be supported by supplementary advices."

"Will this be the occasion for any change in the orders to Rear Admiral Cotton, in command of the European squadron, to proceed at once to Beirut?" was asked.

"Such orders as have been forwarded to Admiral Cotton will undoubtedly remain in force until the state department receives further information as to the reliability or unreliability of the rumored death of our vice consul at Beirut," replied Secretary Hay.

"So far," he directly resumed, "enough information has been received to warrant a thorough and speedy investigation into the affair. The investigation has been ordered and will be made regardless of any other than official refutation of the reported tragedy."

"What will be the policy of the government in dealing with the situation?" was asked the secretary. He replied:

"Until I get back to Washington it will be impossible or at least inadvisable to state just what course will be adopted, I think, however, that no measures will be overlooked tending to a summary and immediate investigation."

Mr. Hay intimated that upon his arrival in Washington he would probably confer immediately with the Turkish minister in order to clear up any existing doubts as to the truth of the reported assassination of Vice Consul Magelssen.

DAM LET FLOOD LOOSE AT NIGHT

Timely Warning Saved Lives of Hundreds of People at Butler.

BREAK BY HEAVY RAINS

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

BUTLER, PA., Aug. 28.—The people of Butler were roused from their beds at 4 o'clock this morning by the continuous blowing of the fire alarm whistles, which was a warning to the residents of the lower part of the city to take refuge from the flood in the Connoquessing creek caused by the bursting of the Boydstown dam, seven miles north of Butler. In a few minutes hundreds of people in the Third ward, known as the "Island," were fleeing from their homes, many of them only half clad.

At 9 o'clock in the morning the creek was higher than at any time in the past 25 years, the lower part of the town being under water. An hour later the water was falling. North of Butler, on the Pittsburgh & Western railroad, a 30-foot bridge was washed out and also several culverts on the Pittsburgh, Bessemer & Lake Erie Railroad. A team of horses belonging to Frank Gormley were drowned while the owner was attempting a rescue.

The Boydstown dam was owned by the Butler Water Company and held the water supply for this town. It was 30 feet high and about 500 feet wide and had an estimated capacity of 2,000,000 gallons. The dam gave way gradually or hundreds of people would have been swept to their death. A number of workmen below the dam escaped only in their night clothes. The dam burst from the pressure caused by the heavy rains of Thursday night, the break starting at midnight.

Superintendent Mark F. Wright of the Butler Water Company stated this afternoon that the company's loss by the breaking of the dam is $90,000. The dam will have to be entirely rebuilt. The first break was discovered by John Vogel and Martin Helm of Butler and James Martin of Pittsburgh, who were at the dam on a turtle fishing expedition. They telephoned word to Butler. The family of Isaiah L. McBride, living in Kittanning street, were rescued by means of a raft attached to a rope, which was pulled to shore by 50 men. Six or eight feet of water surrounded the house.

CARRIE BRINGS SUIT.

Claims $25,000 Damages from Scranton Officials for Alleged Illegal Arrests.

SCRANTON, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Mrs. Carrie Nation today began an action in the county courts to recover $25,000 for alleged illegal arrests during her recent visit to this city. The following are named as defendants: Mayor A. T. McConnell, Director of Public Safety Mark Edgar, Superintendent of Police Lora B. Day, Magistrate John Howe and Patrolmen John Mallott, Louis Huntington, William Callahan, David J. Davis, James Feeney and George Keib.

Mrs. Nation's arrests in this city were for alleged disorderly conduct and selling souvenir hatchets without a license. She proposes to bring other suits.

PITTSBURGH COUPLE MARRIED IN COLUMBUS

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Antonio Simseri Lombard, aged 40, a merchant of Pittsburgh, and Venie W. Coe, also of Pittsburgh, where she was employed by Mr. Lombard as a bookkeeper, were married today in Probate Judge Black's office by the Rev. I. C. Haddon. Mrs. Lombard is 26 years of age and pretty. She was a widow. The two came from Pittsburgh last night and returned tonight.

Girl Dies While Dancing.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—During a dance held at Pineus hall in Horseheads last night Miss Katherine Birmingham, employed in the silk mills, swooned and died in her partner's arms.

LAW PERMITS DEPOSIT OF INTERNAL REVENUE

Secretary Shaw Explains Attitude on Disposal of Money to Relieve Stringency.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

OYSTER BAY, L. I., Aug. 28.—Secretary of the Treasury Shaw, who arrived here this evening to spend the night with the president, was told that some doubt had been expressed as to his ability legally to deposit the proposed $40,000,000 internal revenue receipts in banks after they had reached the treasury.

The secretary explained that there was not the slightest doubt in his mind as to his right to do so. He began last spring to gather in the internal revenue receipts to meet an emergency if any arose at any time. These receipts were accounted for separately, and there would be no doubt as to what moneys were internal revenue and what were customs receipts. There were decisions to support his contention. The law says that he could deposit internal revenue receipts in the banks when he got them. He has them and will deposit them in banks if the necessity arises.

The secretary holds that there is no more emergency now than there was last spring, but if the emergency arises he has nearly $40,000,000, and will release it if the banks want it and can comply with the conditions.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Secretary Shaw's proposal to assist the money market during the usual drain on it in the autumn, was received with approval in Wall street today. The direct result of it was a better market. The internal revenue payments so far this month have amounted to $17,000,000, and in case they should be deposited in banks during September and October, when the receipts are unusually heavy, between $35,000,000 and $40,000,000 would be added to the accumulation of the local banks.

RACE IS UNLIKELY.

38-Mile Wind Sweeps Over Sandy Hook—Too Much for the Racing Sloops.

ATLANTIC HIGHLANDS, N. J., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—At 9:30 tonight a 38-mile wind is sweeping over Sandy Hook from east, with heavy rain and thick weather outside. Unless the wind moderates during the night there will be no race tomorrow, for Sir Thomas, who for two years has been asking for a stiff breeze for his yachts, does not want more than a 25-knot wind to give Shamrock III. her last chance to get at least one race.

On board the Sunbeam Mr. Iselin and his yachting conferees are in consultation but no information would be given as to the nature of the questions that are buying them. The racers, in spite of rough weather and hard blows that have prevailed all day, are lying safely at their moorings. But few boats have ventured across the bay today and several row boats have been cast upon the shore at Atlantic Highlands. Captain Barr of Reliance cast a weather eye aloft today when asked what he thought of the prospects for retaining the cup and said:

"Well, Shamrock has another chance. By the way," he added, "what sort of weather does Shamrock want?"

EX-MAYOR FATALLY SHOT; WOUNDED TWO POLICEMEN

SEYMOUR, IND., Aug. 28.—As the result of a quarrel on the street today between former Mayor Albert W. Mills and Policemen John Reddinger and Enoch Baughman, Mills was shot and perhaps fatally wounded by the policemen. Reddinger was shot in the head and dangerously wounded, and Baughman was shot twice in the side. Mills had been ordered home by the officers, and resented it. He flourished a revolver, which was taken away from him, and he then drew a knife. Later he went to his office, secured another revolver and returned, when the shooting took place.

PRESIDENT LOUBET SENDS CHECK TO THE KAISER

BERLIN, Aug. 28.—(Special Cable.)—The Kaiser is greatly touched at the action of President Loubet, who yesterday, through the French ambassador, sent him a personal check for 5,000 francs to be used in helping the flood sufferers in Silesia. The press rejoices at this new proof of better relations between the two great countries.

CANAL LIKELY TO CAUSE WAR

President and Secretary Hay Hold Grave Consultation.

THREE COURSES OPEN

One Contemplates Construction of Waterway Under Old Treaty That Is in Force.

THIS WOULD BRING ON FIGHT

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

Oyster Bay, L. I., Aug. 28.—Public sentiment may yet be called upon to determine whether the United States shall go to war with a sister republic over the right to complete the Panama canal. A step which may lead to war with the United States of Colombia is one of the contingencies discussed by representatives of the administration in seeking to find some way out of the difficulty arising through the failure of the Colombian congress to ratify the Panama canal treaty without amendments.

The canal question was the chief reason why Secretary of State Hay came today to see the president. As the matter may be considered at the extra session of congress, Mr. Hay's visit was arranged several days ago.

The president and Secretary Hay both regard the treaty as probably dead. They take little interest in the dispatches from Minister Beaupre at Bogota, which purport to detail efforts which are being made by the Colombians to "save the treaty" by amending it. The United States has long ago informed the little republic that if any amendments were made to the treaty they would not be acceptable. It is therefore impossible for this government to recede from its previous statement, and the talk of negotiating a new treaty, which would give Colombia great advantages and an annuity of $600,000 instead of $250,000, which some of the Colombians demand.

Three Courses to Choose From.

There are three alternatives for the administration to pursue, but none will be taken till after full consultation with leaders in congress. The first is to ignore Colombia, proceed to construct the canal, under the treaty with New Grenada in 1846, fight Colombia if she objects and create the independent government of Panama out of the state of Panama. This would give the United States what would be expected to be a short and inexpensive war, but would insure a permanent settlement of the question of sovereignty of a canal zone across the isthmus of Panama.

The second alternative is that the president shall act in accordance with the provisions of the Spooner law, and having failed to make a treaty of a satisfactory kind with Colombia, turn to the Nicaragua route, and build the canal via Greytown, Lake Nicaragua and Brito.

The third course is to delay this great work until something transpires to make Colombia see light, and then resume negotiations for another treaty. This course might be followed if the treaty came back without many important amendments.

The first and third courses would imply that notwithstanding the report of the Ishmaitian canal commission, the administration is convinced that Panama is the only route for a canal. Either of them means delay, because even if we

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MULVIHILL IS TO LEAD FIGHT

Troubles of Westmoreland Democracy to Be Aired at Harrisburg.

HALL PROMISED AID

State Chairman and W. J. Brennen to Help Seat the Delegates of the Doty Faction.

BAILEY FOR TOM JOHNSON

Westmoreland Democrats intend to carry their troubles into the state convention at Harrisburg next week. According to James P. Mulvihill of Arnold and Monongahela City, William J. Brennan, Col. J. M. Guffey's chief lieutenant, has promised to aid the Doty faction in cleaning out the Keenan crowd. Mulvihill also has assurance of assistance from State Chairman J. M. P. Hall.

Mulvihill expects to represent Washington county on the contested seat committee of the convention. In this position he will be able to assist his faction of the Democracy in Westmoreland. Mulvihill has been living at Arnold, Westmoreland county, for a number of years, and since about June has been conducting a licensed hotel at Monongahela City. No time has been lost by him in getting into Washington county politics.

About the first of the year Mulvihill joined forces with Judge Lucien W. Doty of Westmoreland in an attempt to take the political scalp of Capt. John B. Keenan, who has been the Democratic leader of Westmoreland for a number of years. As a result of the fight there was a split in the party. The Doty faction named Mulvihill and George H. Hogue as its state committeemen and Keenan selected Henry S. Ackerman and John T. Brennen. In May the state executive committee declared in Keenan's favor.

Mulvihill Outlines His Plans.

Mulvihill was in the city yesterday and announced that the old fight was to be thrown into the state convention. The Doty faction will send 30 delegates to Harrisburg and Keenan will have a like number. The latter's delegates will be put on the roll and the Doty crowd will have to fight.

"I predict that the anti-Keenan delegates will all get a vote in the state convention," said Mulvihill. "We are prepared to make a fight. I will go to the convention as a delegate from Washington county. State Chairman Hall has promised that I will be named on the committee on contested seats. The other day I had a talk with William J. Brennen and he promised me that Allegheny county would help us, and 'Billy' Brennen never tells a lie."

Brennen has not had much use for Capt. Keenan for a number of years, and while he may feel like repping the captain over the knuckles he usually does what Col. Guffy wants in state politics. The John T. Brennen who is with Capt. Keenan is a brother of William J.

Mulvihill says that Judge Doty will attend the convention and that there will be a big crowd of anti-Keenan men from Westmoreland.

Will Fight Gorman.

Warren Worth Bailey, editor of the Johnstown Democrat, will not go along with the program to turn the Democratic delegation in the next national convention over to Senator Arthur Pue Gorman of

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MILES EXPLAINS USE OF MOTOR VEHICLES IN WAR

Cavalry Practically Useless in Face of Fire from Modern Machine Guns—Five Millions Spent Uselessly Every Year.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

BOSTON, Aug. 28.—Gen. Miles was willing to talk today about his recommendation in respect to the adoption of automobiles in the army, and reducing the cavalry. He says the rapid fire gun has made the cavalry practically useless in engagements in which they were effective under former conditions.

"This government should keep pace in this matter," he said. "The old conditions are changed, and we have the automobile and should use it. It sometimes becomes necessary to take a place, to project into the enemy's country as quickly as possible, a small force of men to seize and intrench a town that is of strategic value. With such a corps this could be done very easily, and I have recommended it because I felt that it was my duty to do so.

"In France, where I saw 14,000 of the best cavalrymen in the world, I watched their maneuvers and saw them draw off a mile from the trenches. They came on, first at a walk, then a slow trot, then a gallop and finally broke into a charge. They stopped 300 yards in front of the trenches. With 1,000 of our infantry armed with our rifles I could have covered the field with the dead and dying.

"Each gun, we will say, is in action; each soldier will fire 20 shots in a minute. This would be 20,000 shots a minute aimed directly at 14,000 men and horses. It took practically three minutes for that body to cross the plain. That makes 60,000 bullets that could have been poured into one of the finest forces of cavalry men I ever saw.

"Now what shall we do to replace it? In case of war we must be prepared to make use of every resource at our command. We have done nothing to make use of the newer forces of the bicycle, the motorcycle and the automobile. I would try them all and find from experience what would be of greatest use. We spend $5,000,000 annually for cavalry that is not needed. This money could be spent much more safely in the way I mention in my letter. We should discontinue five corps of cavalry and replace them with five corps of men trained in the use of motors. We should give more attention to road building and have men who know how to use the modern machinery that is now used for that work. I understand from my experience that the greater part of road building is now done by machinery, and we should know how to use it in case of war."

MILES' LETTER CAUSES DISCUSSION IN ARMY

Cavalry Officers Would Oppose Any Effort to Reduce That Arm of the Service.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Publication today of the last letter that Lieut.-Gen. Miles sent to Secretary Root, in which he recommended the reduction of the cavalry arm of the service and the establishment of an automobile corps, aroused much comment in army circles here today. The question that all army officers who read the letter was, "What did Secretary Root do with the letter?" Inquiry on this point today disclosed the fact that he merely acknowledged its receipt, saying nothing about the recommendations.

There are many officers in the service who are great believers in the utility of the automobile in war, but none so far as known have advocated such extensive use as Gen. Miles suggests. His recommendation for the reduction of the cavalry is surprising inasmuch as he won his greatest fame as a cavalry officer. Reduction of this arm of the service would be bitterly fought by nearly all cavalry officers.

RELATIONS TO BE FRIENDLY

Negotiations Between Railroads and Pittsburgh Coal Co.

WILL BE NO CHANGES

If the Deal Goes Through Handsome Dividends All Around Are Assured.

ROBBINS TALKS TO MEN

The report published yesterday that the Pennsylvania railroad was negotiating for the purchase of a controlling interest in the properties of the Pittsburgh Coal Company was merely an echo of gossip that has been current in local financial circles for some time past. Ever since the publication in The Gazette on August 17, that a deal was pending in connection with the affairs of the coal company, the street has been full of rumors as to the nature of the transaction.

It was learned yesterday from a man largely interested in the matter, and who has full knowledge of all the details as far as they have been worked out, that the negotiations now going on between representatives of the Pittsburgh Coal Company and the different railroads which now handle the tonnage of the company, are for the purpose of establishing friendly and permanent relations among all the interests at present affected.

There is to be no change whatever in existing rates, any new interest that may come into the field, and there is no obligation on the part of the Pittsburgh Coal Company to divert traffic from mines which may be reached by the new railroads perfect to the interests taking part in the pending negotiations.

Handsome Dividends Predicted.

Conferences in relation to the new arrangement have been held, and while matters are in a forward stage they are not yet fully consummated. When the deal is finally closed the present status of the Pittsburgh Coal Company will not be changed, but the stockholders will be large gainers.

Another man who is in a position to know what is going on said: "If the deal goes through according to the plan now practically agreed upon it will not be safe for a telescope to see a handsome dividend on the common stock, and it will come with the same regularity as that on the preferred stock."

The Pittsburgh Coal Company was incorporated under the laws of New Jersey in the fall of 1899, with an authorized capital of $32,000,000 common stock and $32,000,000 preferred stock. It acquired practically all the large coal mines belonging to the railroads in the Pittsburgh district, as well as docking facilities on the great lakes. At the time of these acquisitions it was thought that ample provision had been made for the normal growth of the future. This growth, however, was underestimated, just as the railroads and the iron and steel interests underrated the requirements of the country.

Large Increases in Output.

The tonnage of the company during the second year of its life was 11,309,000 tons in the Pittsburgh district, and 1,225,000 tons in the Hocking district. Last year the combined tonnage of both districts approximated 15,000,000 tons, and during this period the output was curtailed by the railroad freight congestion, which prevented the delivery of cars.

The output for the current fiscal year will show a very large increase, the net earnings for six months being $2,250,000, an increase of more than 100 per cent compared with the first half of 1902.

As stated, the company's acreage and equipments at the time of reorganization were thought sufficient to meet probable requirements for years to come, but such has been the growth of the business that within the three years ended December 31, 1902, the company laid out nearly $20,000,000 in the acquisition of additional acreage in excess of the requirements for replacing exhausted acreage, for additional docks and yards on the lakes, additional railroad trackage, equipment etc.

Among the purchases in 1902 were 15,-281 acres of coal, and 205 acres of surface lands in the Pittsburgh district, and 2,000 acres of coal and 1,700 acres of surface lands in the Hocking district of Ohio. According to the last annual report of the company the coal and surface lands, mine plant and equipment, railroad cars, docks, etc., were figured at a little more than $77,000,000, while the total assets of the company approximated $87,000,000.

It to Be No Change in Monongahela.

In addition to the production and transportation of coal, the company last year entered the coke business, having purchased the Colonial coke works. The latter addition a plant of 1,000 ovens using coal already owned by the Pittsburgh Coal Company.

The general officers of the Pittsburgh Coal Company are: Francis L. Robbins, chairman and president; J. D. Schoonmaker, vice president and treasurer; W. H. Woodford, second vice president; L. H. Ives, third vice president; F. J. Lisman, secretary; A. W. Mosser, general counsel; J. B. L. Hornberger, auditor. The directors include Francis L. Robbins, H. C. Frick, John A. Bell, Grant B. Schley, L. S. Doty, Henry W. Oliver, A. W. Mellon, W. n. Taylor, A. M. Mosser, W. P. Murray, J. D. Nicholson, G. N. Savage, Peter M. Pitcairn, John L. Stirling, C. C. Wales.

President Robbins appeared before the Pittsburgh Coal Company's Employes' Accident, Death and Pension Fund association, holding its first convention, in Moorhead's hall, yesterday and addressed the delegates. In the course of his remarks, he said:

"I want to say, referring to some newspaper articles which have appeared from time to time in the past few months, that I might as well be up-to-date now and state clearly that the company is now making something like a profit, together with regret to the injured, there is ownership and management of the Pittsburgh Coal Company that there has been

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REMEDY PROPOSED FOR THE MOB EVIL

Justice Charles B. Lore Deals With Question at Peace Conference.

PRACTICE IS DECREASING

Repetition of Brutal Crimes Should Be Made Impossible—Death Penalty Imposed in Many States Makes Conviction Difficult.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Aug. 28.—Charles B. Lore, chief judge of the supreme court of Delaware, discussed lynchings and mob violence, and a remarkable set of resolutions was passed tonight at the peace conference at Mystic, Conn. Judge Lore urged unusual remedies to prevent lynching and attacked the makers of inflated trusts as lawless citizens of the business world. He said in part:

"Open and forceful violations of the law are prevalent, and there seems to be an epidemic of mobs, feuds and mob violence and popular eruptions. Lawlessness in the form of mob lynchings is a type of murder that is peculiar to America and is a burning shame to our government and people. Only three states of this union are exempt from this stigma. I am glad to say that it is not on the increase, but lynching has decreased each year since 1900, when there were 200 in these United States. The total of lynchings this year up to July 28 was 71.

"The brute is not confined to race or color. I am not sure but that it is a wise punishment for such crime that the French assembly came within one vote of passing in a proposed law that every person convicted of this kind of crime should be so punished that it would be impossible for him to repeat his offense. The death penalty now imposed in many states makes conviction difficult.

"In the brutal lynching in my state recently, there has been no delay of the law. Every department of justice was working with vigor, and certainty. To say, therefore, that the law's delay has been the cause of lynchings, when in fact there is scarcely a case of lynching in which there was any such delay, becomes untruth, but I cannot agree with Justice Brewer that there should be no appeal or writ of error in criminal cases. It would be monstrous that an appeal or writ of error should lie where there is only question of money involved, but should be denied when a man's liberty and life are at stake."

Judge Lore said with regard to lawlessness in the business world:

"We should call a halt upon our captains of industries, who have brought our country to its present height of frenzy in speculation. Giant industries have been combined. Plants only worth thousands are capitalized at millions of watered stocks swollen into millions, and gigantic frauds are palmed upon the people as substantial enterprises. The public conscience is demoralized, moral obligations are disregarded and honest dealing is at a discount."

TRIP WAS NOT FRUITFUL.

Lugas Family Back from New York on a Visit to See Osbaldesten.

Frank W. Lugas, his children, his wife and her child, Louisa Mascot Osbaldesten, returned yesterday to their home in Broad street, after a visit to New York, where they went to see if they could not do something to prevent Prof. Edwin Turner Osbaldesten from continuing his persecution of Mrs. Lugas by sending letters and obscene pamphlets concerning her through the mails.

Lugas says he has put an end to Osbaldesten's annoyance; that his wife and others made affidavits denying the charges Osbaldesten makes and declaring the professor insane. Lugas also asserts that the professor fled from New York as soon as he heard that Lugas had reached there, although this does not agree with a former story that on an earlier visit Lugas called on Osbaldsten, who met him cordially and drank a few glasses of wine with him.

Superintendent of Police John P. McTighe received yesterday an open letter from Osbaldsten to Mrs. Lugas. Osbaldesten writes that he will soon come to Pittsburgh to claim his child, which makes it look as if he did not fear to meet Lugas.

New Clerks and Postal Changes.

Sub-station No. 12 of the Pittsburgh postoffice was removed yesterday from the corner of Wylie and Sixth avenues to Wylie avenue and Fulton street. The change was made to accommodate a greater number of people. Seven sub-clerks were added to the working force of the Pittsburgh postoffice yesterday. They are Charles Baldesberger, John C. Rogan, William Bell, Charles W. Weis, Charles L. Davis, Joseph D. Graening and Raymond IV. Beightley.

Ten Cents Won Trip to Europe.

The holder of ticket No. 4826 has been declared the winner of the round-trip passage to Europe, which was raffled off at the recent bicycle fete for the benefit of the orphan asylum. The ticket was bought for 10 cents and the holder is requested to call at No. 110 Bakewell law building to secure the prize. The drawing was made at the residence of Leopold Wilsack, Liberty and Center avenues, Shadyside.

Walter Lynch Is Also Very Ill.

Walter Lynch of Port Vue, who has been sought by relatives for some time on account of his father's serious illness, has been located. A telegram was received by his brother, W. Valentine Lynch, yesterday stating that he was seriously ill at Madison, Cal. He will not be told of his father's condition until his own health improves.

CLOSING TIME OF MAILS AT THE POSTOFFICE

Philadelphia—1:00, 2:30, 6:30, 7:30 a. m.; 4:10, 6:30, 8:30, 9:30 p. m.

Buffalo—1:00, 2:30, 6:30, 7:30 a. m.; 12:45, 4:10, 6:30, 8:30, 9:30 p. m.

Washington—1:00, 2:30, 7:30 a. m.; 12:45, 6:30, 7:30, 9:30 p. m.

New York—1:00, 2:30, 6:45, 7:30 a. m.; 4:10, 6:30, 8:30, 9:30 p. m.

Atlantic City—1:00, 2:30, 7:30 a. m.; 4:00, 6:30, 8:30, 9:30 p. m.

Buffalo—7:30, 8:30 a. m.; 3:00, 6:30, 10:15, 11:30 p. m.

Cleveland—3:30, 7:30, 8:30 a. m.; 3:00, 6:30, 11:30 p. m.

Cincinnati—1:30, 8:10, 8:30, 11:30 a. m.; 12:30, 7:45, 8:30 p. m.

Chicago—3:30, 8:30, 11:30 a. m.; 7:30, 8:45 p. m.

St. Louis—1:30, 8:10, 11:30 a. m.; 8:45 p. m.

St. Paul—3:30, 8:30, 11:30 a. m.; 7:30, 8:45 p. m.

San Francisco—3:30, 8:30, 11:30 a. m.; 7:30, 8:45 p. m.

Denver—1:30, 8:30, 11:30 a. m.; 8:45 p. m.

Boston—1:00, 2:30, 7:30 a. m.; 4:10, 6:30, 9:30, 9:30 p. m.

Workmen Drowned at Butler.

BUTLER, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Jacob Miller, aged 25 years, was drowned this afternoon in a creek at Vogley's Island at this city. Miller and three companions, who had finished their labor at the Standard Steel Car works, started to take a swim. They waded in with their clothes on and it is supposed that Miller's garments caught on the roots of an old tree and he was drawn under the water. One of his companions, who could have helped him, fainted when he saw Miller go down. His body was recovered.

Claims Pittsburgh as Her Home.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Humane Officer Swineburned placed in the county jail a woman named Lula Ritter, who says her home is in Pittsburgh, and who, claims that she was put off a train at Kanawha & Michigan train she lost her money and ticket. She is thought to be demented and was examined by physicians this afternoon, who pronounced her insane. She is thought to have escaped from the Athens (O.) asylum.

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CITY SWEPT BY A HEAVY STORM

Wind and Lightning Injures Buildings in Many Places.

SEVERAL PERSONS ARE HURT

Fifth Avenue Apartment House Collapses and Two School Buildings Are Struck—Water and Mud Block Traction and Railroad Lines.

Heavy rain, high wind and sharp lightning caused havoc in this section yesterday afternoon, causing severe injury to a number of persons and damage to considerable property. The storm broke over the city about 2 o'clock. The rainfall was greater than known at any time this summer. Traction lines were tied up for some hours by the high water and debris, and many telephone and telegraph lines were put out of use for the remainder of the afternoon. The rainfall measured 2.07 inches in the city.

There were many narrow escapes from the lightning. A frame building being erected at No. 2511 Fifth avenue, collapsed, injuring one man, Henry Schmidt, aged 48 years, a carpenter of No. 145 Sweetbriar street, Duquesne Heights. Schmidt's left leg was broken and he received a number of bad scalp wounds. He will recover. Four other carpenters at work in the building escaped. They were Henry McNeeley of Haselwood; E. C. Gardner and his son, John, of No. 1850 Webster avenue, and William Flickinger of No. 2615 Fifth avenue.

Two little girls had narrow escapes from lightning in Williams street, near Boggs avenue, Mt. Washington. Margaret Howe and a little girl named Green took a bucket to get water from a tub outside the Howe home. When the girls were within four feet of the tub there was a blinding flash of lightning and a terrific crash and the tub was smashed. The girls were slightly shocked, but quickly recovered.

After the storm a Pittsburgh & Castle Shannon railroad train narrowly escaped being wrecked at the south end of the tunnel, which runs under Mt. Washington. Just as the train was emerging from the tunnel the engineer discovered the tracks ahead covered with earth, which slid down from the hillside. The train was delayed for about an hour.

Mt. Washington received a good part of the storm and during the afternoon seven trees in Williams street, near Bailey avenue, were knocked down. In the South Side district the heavy rain washed earth and debris down from the hillsides and covered the Hilltop and Birmingham traction tracks with water and mud. At Carson street and Brownsville avenue the water rose to nearly three feet and the cars running to the hilltop and the upper South Side were blocked for about an hour.

In South Twelfth street many cellars were flooded as the sewers on the street were unable to carry off the water. The Suburban trackless line suffered greatly from the deposits of mud and water in the Brownsville road.

At South Eleventh street the signal wire of the South Twelfth street incline plane was struck by lightning and almost created a panic among the waiting passengers. The cars were held up till the damaged wire could be repaired.

Lightning knocked off a portion of the cornice of the Birmingham sub-district school building in South Fifteenth street, and also damaged the roof of the Humboldt sub-district school house in South Twentieth street.

Throughout the Penn avenue and Lawrenceville districts the storm also caused some damage. The chimney on the houses at Nos. 811 and 813 Forty-fifth street, occupied by the families of J. H. Thompson and John Jacons, were struck and knocked off. The roofs of both houses were damaged and also set on fire by the lightning. After striking the chimneys the bolt descended into the houses and Mrs. Thompson and one of her children were thrown violently to the floor and last evening were still suffering from shock.

In Oakland and the East End several trees were struck and blown down, but no houses were reported to have been damaged.

VIEWERS' REPORT WAS AGAINST MONESSEN

Board of Two Counties Approve Location of Bridge Between Donora and Webster.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, PA., Aug. 28.—The report of the joint board of reviewers appointed to pass upon the location of a bridge over the Monongahela river between Donora and Webster was filed with the court here today. The bridge is to be erected by Washington and Westmoreland counties, as authorized by an act passed by the last session of congress.

The citizens of Monessen and Westmoreland county have opposed the location of the eastern end of the bridge at Webster and threaten to carry the matter up to congress, claiming that business considerations should prevail to cause a change in the location of the bridge, Monessen being a larger place than Webster. The viewers had no option as to the location of the bridge, for the reason that the location was fixed by congress. The viewers for Washington county were J. M. Thomas, J. Clark and D. J. McAdam, and those for Westmoreland county were W. H. Matthews, N. M. Clark and William Taylor. The report will come up for approval in the Washington county court November 2. The bridge is to cost between $125,000 and $150,000 and will be free.

FORMER CANTON COMPANY FAILS FOR HALF MILLION

CANTON, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Authoritative announcement was made here today of the financial embarrassment of the Pannemiller & Company, coffee importers and roasters. The company originally was a part of the old and firmly established firm of Canton, but for the past four years has been located in Brooklyn and has been entirely independent of the local grocery company. The report states that the credits are in the neighborhood of half a million dollars and are carried largely in the east. Canton relatives have offered material aid and negotiations are on for an adjustment and extension of credit.

Woman Shot Her Boarder.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—George Crump, a negro, was shot in the left shoulder by Mrs. Sarah Quinn, his boarding mistress. He went to the house intoxicated and started quarreling with Mrs. Quinn, finally striking her. She ran to a room, and securing a revolver, fired two shots at him, both striking him in the left shoulder. He will recover. No arrests were made.

Elliott Would Join Pittsburgh.

At a meeting of the Citizens' party of Elliott borough for reorganization last night there was unanimous expression of the willingness of the borough to become a part of Greater Pittsburgh. A committee was named on the matter, with officers as follows: President, Thomas J. Hawkins; vice president, Charles A. Shaner, treasurer, Harry Negley, secretary, George B. Lang.

Lawyers Elect Officers.

HOT SPRINGS, VA., Aug. 28.—At the morning session of the American Bar association today the following officers were elected: James Hagerman, Missouri, president; John Hinckley, Maryland, secretary; Fred E. Wadhams, New York, treasurer.

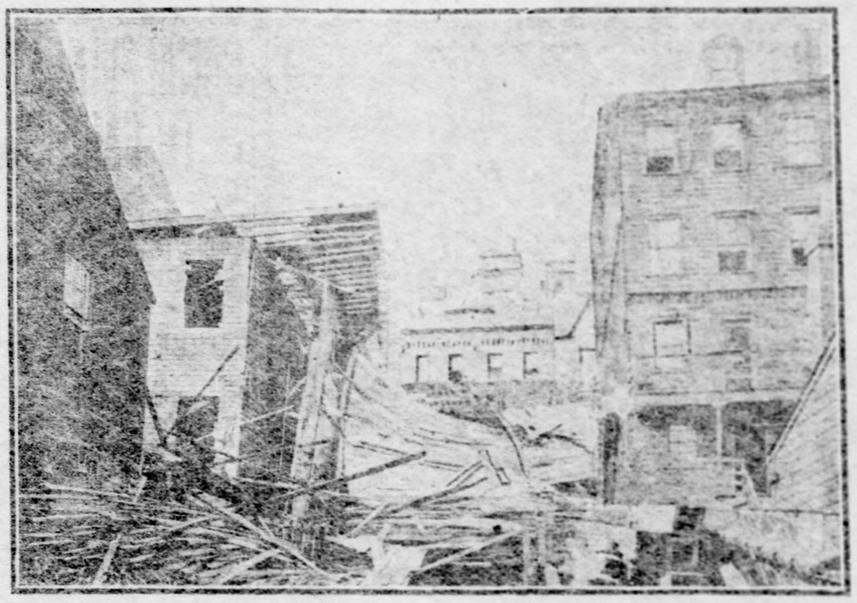
Mrs. Moreland Is Dead.

Mrs. Fannie O'Hara Moreland, wife of William P. Moreland, died yesterday morning at her home, Fifth and South Negley avenues, East End. Mrs. Moreland was a daughter of Mrs. Frances A. and the late M. O'Hara.

MUCH COAL IS WASTED

in cooking, and it is dirty—heats the whole house up from the kitchen. Natural gas is clean and economical. If you apply this month at office of the Philadelphia Company, 435 Sixth avenue, you can have service connections made and meter set free.

Yesterday's Cyclonic Storm Left in Fifth Avenue Evidences of Its Destructive Force



This photograph was taken by a staff photographer of The Gazette, in the rear of Nos. 2514 and 2516 Fifth avenue, just after the collapse, yesterday afternoon, of the flimsy structures that were being erected there. When that howling, ripping storm swept over the city about 2 o'clock, the buildings were wrecked in almost the twinkling of an eye and five men who were in the structures were injured. The wonder is that more of the surrounding houses were not also wrecked. Where they front in Fifth avenue they are only two and three stories high. In the rear they are usually double what they are in front and some stand on stilts.

PANAMA CANAL LIKELY TO BE CAUSE OF WAR

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went to work and war with Colombia followed, we could not do much in the way of canal digging until the mountain republic had been subjugated.

We would not only take Panama and Colon, but we would be required to keep a small army on the isthmus to guard the workmen. If Colombia should show a deeply resentful spirit toward the invaders, and be disposed to make a long guerrilla fight, we might be compelled to send an army to Bogota. There would also be delay while we were creating the independent sovereignty of Panama and making a treaty with that country.

It would doubtless be a surprise to the public that a course which is sure to involve us with war with a South American republic is one of the methods of procedure soberly contemplated by the United States. There is little doubt that if we begin to dig the canal under the terms of the treaty of 1846 that Colombia would declare war. It is admitted that such a war would go far to destroy the good feeling entertained for us by most of the Spanish-American republics, though it might be expected that the republics of Ecuador, Peru and Chile, which from their geographical position would be greatly benefited by the canal, would sympathize with us.

The treaty of 1846, under which we may claim the right to build the canal without further permission from Colombia, was negotiated at the time of our controversy with Great Britain over the Oregon boundary, and our war with Mexico, as a result of both of which our interests on the Pacific were enlarged. Colombia was then known as New Granada. This treaty secured to the United States the right of way or transit across the isthmus of Panama, or Darien, upon any means of communication then existing or that might thereafter be constructed.

This transit was to be open and free to the government and its citizens, and for the transportation of any articles of produce, manufacture or merchandise of lawful commerce, subject to no other tolls or charges than those levied or collected under like circumstances from citizens of New Granada. In return for the advantages and favors acquired and in order to secure their tranquil enjoyment, the United States guaranteed to New Granada the perfect tranquility of the isthmus, so that the free transit from the one to the other sea might not be interrupted during the existence of the treaty. The United States further guaranteed the rights of sovereignty and property which New Granada has and possessed over the said territory.

This treaty is still in operation and under the obligations imposed the United States has repeatedly sent warships to both sides of the isthmus and landed marines to keep the railroad in operation.

The treaty which Colombia has just killed was deemed necessary because of the vested rights of the Panama Canal Company in the isthmus, and because of the relations existing between the United States and Colombia. The position taken by those now advising extreme action by the United States is that the state department has more than met Colombia half way, that her statesmen are trifling with us, and seeking to blackmail us in a matter of great importance to the security of the United States.

COLON, COLOMBIA, Aug. 28.—In the issue of the Correo Nacional of Bogota, of August 8, which has been received here, it is stated that the majority of the senate committee on the Panama canal treaty recommended the following, among other amendments:

"That the French company must first obtain Colombia's permission to transfer its rights, privileges and concessions to the United States; that only the zone necessary for the construction of the canal should be given to the United States (this would exclude the cities of Panama and Colon) that all the waters required for the canal be placed at the disposal of the United States, but not made their exclusive property; that no mixed tribunals be allowed; that the United States have be inoperative at Panama; and that a fixed time be given to complete the canal failing which, the concession would revert to Colombia."

It is learned here that Diego Mendoza and other prominent politicians are endeavoring to induce congress to issue a law of authorizations to the president, which should specify that Colombia agrees on principle to negotiate with the United States and that a new canal treaty should be made by a plural committee, in which all political parties would be represented. This idea is said to be gaining ground.

Finds He Is an Heir After 20 Years.

E. S. Miller, a member of the Pittsburgh bureau of fire, stationed at Engine company No. 15 for the last 13 years, has fallen heir to one-fifth of $75,000 left by an uncle, Joseph Rhodes, in Missouri. Mr. Miller's uncle died about 20 years ago and recently he started an investigation to learn how his uncle's money was distributed. From the state's attorney he learned of his good fortune and received a part of his share. Fireman Miller says he will not give up his job in the department.

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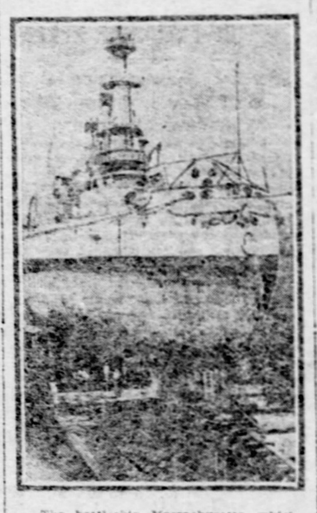
$42,000 FOR REPAIRS.

Accident to Battleship Massachusetts Necessitates 70 Days' Stay in Dry Dock.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Naval Constructor Capps' report on the injuries to the battleship Massachusetts, which grounded on the Maine coast during the cruise to Oyster Bay, now at the New York navy yard, which was received at the navy department today, counsels against temporary repairs. The report, signed by Rear Admiral Rogers, commanding the New York navy yard, says:

"Considering the character and extent of the injuries temporary repairs are inadvisable. The injuries can be thoroughly and permanently repaired in 70 working days at an estimated cost of $36,000 for labor and $6,000 for material."

The permanent repairs will be proceeded with at once.



The battleship Massachusetts, which went aground while coming out of Bar Harbor, is at the Brooklyn navy yard. The picture shows the big warship in dry dock, with the water pouring out of the hole through the rents made by the rocks.

JAMES P. MULVEHILL IS PICKED TO LEAD FIGHT

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Maryland. He was in Pittsburgh last night, and while discussing politics said that the Nineteenth congressional district would not be for Gorman. The counties of Cambria, Blair and Bedford comprise the district.

Mr. Bailey said it would not be surprising to see the Nineteenth district delegates indorse Tom Johnson for president. To his mind Johnson represents the democratic Democracy, while Gorman, Cleveland and Hill stand for the plutocratic Democracy. The Nineteenth district will stand for the presidential candidate that suits William J. Bryan.

Mr. Bailey is not taking much interest in the state convention this year. Last year at Erie he tried to have a tax plank put into the platform and says that he was tricked by the Democratic leaders. He is not conversant with the subjects to be discussed in Guffey's platform next week and was wondering last night what issues the colonel would utilize.

TWO CONDUCTORS HURT.

One Street Car Man Fell Off a Car, and Another Leaned Out Too Far.

Charles Jones, 21 years old, a conductor on a McKeesport car of the Pittsburgh Railways Company, fell from the back of his car beyond Homewood avenue to Squirrel Hill last night about 11 o'clock. He was removed to the Mercy hospital. Jones has a severe gash in his head and his face is bruised in several places.

E. N. Huffer, aged 25 years, a street car conductor living at Parker, was painfully injured near the entrance to the Homestead steel works yesterday afternoon. He leaned out of his car and was struck on the head by a car going in the opposite direction. He was knocked unconscious and a deep wound was cut on his head.

THOMAS W. ROSS SIGNS A TEN-YEAR CONTRACT

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Thomas W. Ross, the young actor who did stock work in Pittsburgh for so many years, who is to play the leading role in "The Cheviers" this season, today signed a contract with Manager Kirke Lashelle for 10 years. H. C. Schwab, also for many years a Pittsburgher, has signed a three years' contract as press agent and business manager for Mr. Lashelle.

Boat Sinks With Iron Ore Cargo.

HARRISVILLE, MICH., Aug. 28.—The steamer John Duncan, with a cargo of iron ore and a crew of 19 persons, began leaking off this port last midnight and all hope of saving the vessel was abandoned. The Duncan Point life-saving crew rescued the sailors.

James W. McCurdy Resigns.

A dispatch to The Gazette from Washington, received last night, says that James W. McCurdy has resigned his position as storekeeper and gauger in the internal revenue office at Pittsburgh, to take effect August 31.

BULLET GLANCED FROM BRASS CHECK IN POCKET

Shooting and Firing of Oil Car Follow Delayed Pay at Demmler.

Glancing on a brass check a bullet was prevented from penetrating the abdomen of Antonio Bassio last night at Demmler station on the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad. Bassio and 50 other workmen left the employ of the McKeesport hospital, but his wound did not amount to enough to warrant his detention there.

Bassio was one of a gang of men working on the new Baltimore & Ohio round. The men claimed that they had not received their pay from the foreman when due, and at 8:30 o'clock last night Bassio went to the foreman, John Cassidy, and asked for his money. Cassidy told him to wait until 11 o'clock, when it was promised, it is alleged, with Cassidy shooting at Bassio. The bullet struck him in the abdomen, and the brass check in his trousers pocket probably saved his life.

County Detective P. J. Morrissey was notified of the shooting and is now investigating. Cassidy was not arrested at midnight last night.

At the time of the shooting some one set fire to a car containing barrels of oil standing on a siding in the vicinity. What connection this had with the trouble between the men and the foreman is not apparent.

GUARD MATCHES OVER.

Sixteenth Man Wins All-Comers Contest—Fourteenth Gets Highest Regimental Score.

MT. GRETNA, PA., Aug. 28.—The last day of the national guard shoot was marred by a steady downpour of rain. Despite the weather good scores were made. The third brigade won the 100-yard Trexler match by a score of 96. The second brigade was second with 87, and the first brigade third with 77. Each brigade was represented by four men picked from the various commands.

Trost of Philadelphia won the revolver match, open to officers and enlisted men, by a score of 86. He also won the revolver match open to enlisted men only by a score of 85 out of a possible 90. Capt. Mehard of the First regiment won the revolver match for officers by a score of 86.

The all-comers match was won by Gunning of the Sixteenth regiment. The trophy offered by Maj. Gen. Miller to the highest regimental score was captured by the Fourteenth.

OFFICERS VIEW MODEL.

Gen. Wiley and Others Go to New York to Inspect Hawkins Monument.

WASHINGTON, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—General John A. Wiley of Franklin; Col. W. R. Thompson of Pittsburgh; Captain Richard Coulter of Greensburg, and Col. James E. Barrett and Adjutant Clarence Bahn of Washington, officers of the Second brigade, left last night for New York to examine a clay model of the monument to be erected in Scoosley park, Pittsburgh, in honor of the Tenth regiment. Former Mayor Diehl of Pittsburgh is with them.

The committee will pass particularity on the likeness of the late Col. A. L. Hawkins, the regiment's commander, who died in the Philippines. In a former vote, which was condemned, the sculptor had placed a military cloak on the shoulder of the colonel, when as a matter of fact Col. Hawkins never wore one.

JUMPED FROM HIGH CLIFF.

Carl Vitcher Escaped Policeman by Daring Leap and Was Badly Injured.

While trying to escape arrest Carl Vitcher, aged 22 years, of No. 1706 California avenue, Allegheny, yesterday afternoon jumped from the top of a 50-foot embankment, near Chartiers Junction railroad bridge, and was severely injured. He was taken to St. John's General hospital, but was released at 5 o'clock and transferred to the police station. Vitcher will appear in police court on a charge of felonious assault and battery upon H. G. Dilluster of Robinson street, Allegheny. The assault is alleged to have taken place last Sunday in Braddock, when Vitcher is said to have struck Dilluster's sister-in-law in the face with a brick. Dilluster had to be removed to the Homestead hospital, where it is believed his injury may prove fatal.

A warrant for the arrest of Vitcher was issued upon information made by Policeman John H. Bennett of Braddock, who yesterday was the cause of Vitcher jumping over the cliff.

JAMES G. BLAINE SAVES AN IMPERILED LINEMAN

AUGUSTA, ME., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—James G. Blaine today rescued a 40-foot telegraph pole to assist a lineman, Edward Finn, who had come in contact with a live wire and fallen unconscious across the crossbars. Several other linemen yelled for assistance when Finn fell, but none of them thought of going up. When Blaine reached Finn he called to another lineman to come up, and together they got Finn to the ground with the aid of a rope. The injured man will probably recover.

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ASSASSIN'S SHOTS MISSED CONSUL

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also talked about the Beirut affair. Mr. Hay left before the correction of the report was received and it was decided that he should curtail his vacation and go to Washington at once to conduct negotiations looking to indemnity, etc., in person. Secretary Hay left for Washington this evening.

Official confirmation of the report that Magelssen is still alive to understand to have reached the president tonight in a cipher message. It is understood there are other matters complained of to this government by its diplomatic and consular representatives which will have to be settled, as well as the assault on Magelssen, and for this purpose the squadron will proceed under its original orders.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—The prompt action of the United States government in ordering to Beirut a squadron of American war vessels to protect American interests everywhere in the sultan's dominions is commended everywhere in Washington.

Assault Demands Reparation.

The news came here tonight that Vice Consul Magelssen at Beirut had not been killed, but that an attempt was made on his life. The fact of an attempt at assassination of a United States official leaves the offense chargeable to Turkey a grave and serious one and which, if unexplained, would still demand vigorous action.

It was stated here today by officials that the government ordering the squadron so promptly to Turkish waters was due not only to the report of the murder of Mr. Magelssen, but to the alarming reports of imminent danger to the life and property of American citizens throughout the Turkish dominions.

Mr. Leishman in his dispatches of today stated that there was necessity for the United States looking, for instance, into the disturbed state of affairs in Macedonia, where there is revolution, and especially in Turkey, where there is always danger to American interests. The missionary societies were also demanding protection at Harput.

The administration by instant action in the case of Magelssen and the threats against American citizens at Harput has shown that it has become attuned to the demands of public sentiment that American interests shall be protected everywhere by force of arms if necessary.

In dealing with Turkey heretofore there has been rather a lack of energy and the same is true of our dealing with the sultan of Morocco in the Kaisuli case. In the latter case one official of the state department, thinking that the murder of Kaisuli, an American citizen, was good ground to send a warship to Morocco ordered the vessel sent. The order was, however, countermanded by higher authority. In the case of Minister Lewis who was murdered in Turkey, and in the case of the outrages perpetrated on American missionaries five years ago at Harput, the administration contented itself with threats against Turkey and never sent a warship to Turkish waters to hasten action by the sultan. The settlement with Turkey was made in a roundabout way and the heirs of Lewis got only about $7,000.

The action in the case of Magelssen and the response to missionary demands for action has therefore established a new record in the state department and the navy department. It is for this reason that there has been among officials, executive department and members of senate and house, almost universal approval of the vigor and regard of the rights of American citizens displayed in the orders to Rear Admiral Cotton to proceed at once to Turkish waters.

Appeal from Mission Board.

Another urgent appeal has reached the state department from the American board of missions at Boston, the immediate steps be taken for the protection of the American citizens at Harput. The board's dispatches from there for several days past have represented the situation as extremely grave. There are at the Euphrates college at Harput 14 American teachers besides women and children and property to the value of $100,000. It is learned that there is an American college at Beirut in which are a number of American teachers. No word has reached the state department regarding any attack on them.

BOSTON, Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Following is a list of the American missionaries connected with the Euphrates college at Harput: The Rev. Henry H. Blake of Auburn, N. Y., president; the Rev. Dr. Herman N. Barnum of Auburndale, Mass.; the Rev. John K. Browne of Cambridge, Mass.; the Rev. George P. Knapp of Auburndale; the Rev. Edward P. Carey of Andover, Mass.; Dr. Herbert M. Allchin of San Francisco; Mrs. Mary E. Barnum of Auburndale; Mrs. Louis K. Browne of Cambridge; Mrs. Anna J. Knapp of Auburndale; Mrs. Laura G. Carey of Michigan; Mrs. Lucy A. Atkinson of Andover; Miss Hattie Seymour of Harput; Miss Caroline E. Bush of New York city; Miss Mary L. Daniels of Auburndale; Miss Emma M. Barnum of Auburndale and Miss Theresa L. Huntington of Milton, Mass. Mrs Hiram V. Plain who has been a teacher in the college, is now living in Peekskeepie, N. Y.

As far as the American board has been advised the attempt to burn the American college, the date of which is not known, resulted in little damage, as the building was of stone.

The advices received here say that the Russian consul, who was assassinated by a Turkish soldier at Monastir, was driving into the city from the Bulgarian monastery in a company with a Bulgarian named Minkoff. Outside of the city on the way to the railroad station is a Turkish guard house. In passing this house the Russian consul observed that the policeman on duty failed to give him the proper salute.

He stopped his carriage, walked back to the policeman and asked the latter why he had failed to show the courtesy. The policeman answered the consul that he did not know who he was. Whereupon the consul struck the policeman for his impudence and for answer received a bullet in his side and another through his head, causing instant death.

The soldier, who also slightly, either from extreme terror or appearance of valor, fired on the Russian dupik and remained as if dead until the Turkish officials and others appeared and he could escape without fear of meeting death. On the formation of the sad, day some women played five hand in the yard of the guard house and when the shooting occurred one York asked another "what is the matter?" One of the five armed men replied:

"A dog was killed." After which the five men went back. The Vali received information accidentally much disturbed, and remarked that the consul was to blame for using his revolver on the policeman. When the body of the consul was brought to his house it was found that his head had only had been cut by that the bullet had only grazed it by a blow from the butt end of the policeman's rifle.

Widow Spurns Turkish Money.

On the following Monday Hiram Pasha got an audience with Madame Moore. She received him. At first the bereaved woman refused to see the pasha, but on it being made known that he came as a representative of the sultan, she met him in the presence of two Russian officers. The pasha expressed regret at the "unfortunate affair," exclaimed Madame Rustowsky.

After some further remarks the pasha with considerable embarrassment, drew from his pocket 10,000 francs, or $2,000, and explained with much stammering that the sultan had ordered him to give it to the unfortunate widow for herself and children. Madame Rustowsky, who is a princess by birth, raised her head proudly and understood that the sultan was offering "blackmail."

The blood of her husband cannot be paid for by Turkish money, she said. Then she took back to that master, and in wrathful indignation told him to tell him to give it to his soldiers who have received no pay for so many months. Here are the decorations which the sultan sent to my husband and myself. I never wear them, replied the princess, and I will advise the czar to return them to the sultan, that I have given them back." This ended the interview.

INSURGENTS ARE CROSSING BORDER

Macedonians Organizing Large Force to Make Demonstration in Bulgaria.

A FIERCE FIGHT OCCURS

Rebels Surrounded, Cut Their Way Through Turkish Lines, Killing Many. Order to Massacre All Bulgarians. Refugees Flee to Constantinople.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

SOFIA, BULGARIA, Aug. 28.—The government has despatched two regiments to the frontier to strengthen the guards and enable them to exercise greater vigilance in view of the anticipated attempts of additional bands of insurgents to enter Macedonia.

The Macedonian organization is reported to be planning a big movement. Gen. Protcheff is said to be expending a body of 3,000 Macedonians to cross the frontier. The Macedonian committee has urgently appealed to Prince Ferdinand to show greater interest in the Macedonian situation, saying that if Macedonia is not soon liberated, the position of Bulgaria will become exceedingly critical.

The Duerfa prints today what purports to be the complete details of the train outrage near Kuprel, Bulgaria. A large package was placed by the insurgents on the floor of the train at Rubrepol, containing the bomb with a clock attachment which was timed to explode as the train was crossing the bridge at Mertitza. It failed to destroy the bridge and cut off communication between Adrianople and Salonica.

The general situation in the vilayet of Adrianople continues alarming. The revolutionists have destroyed all the Turkish posts along the frontier. The Adrianople correspondent of the Temps says the Turkish commander in the Kirk Kilisse district has ordered his subordinates to kill and destroy everybody and everything indiscriminately when the insurgent bands appear. The Turkish population is fleeing toward Constantinople. Eight hundred more women and children have gone to Tchorlu, and the Turkish government is arranging to send them to Asia Minor.

A fierce fight has occurred at Pravitsel, 40 miles east of Monastir, between three Turkish battalions surrounded a body of insurgents. A second band of rebels came to the assistance of their comrades, who threw down their arms and fled. Many Turks fell.

The Temps in an leading tone in adopting the strongest measures in suppressing the outbreak in the vilayet of Adrianople, Mahir Pasha, commanding the artillery, and Hasmi Pasha, commanding the infantry forces, have arrived from Adrianople for the center of the disturbances at Kirk Kilisse.

Reports from the frontier indicate that increased numbers of recruits are crossing to small parties into Macedonia.

ATHENS, Aug. 28.—Five thousand Macedonians demonstrated here today, as a protest against the action of the Bulgarian revolutionists. The speeches were moderate and no disorder occurred. A memorandum embodying the protest of the meeting was drawn up and will be presented to the Greek government and the foreign legations here.

SALONICA, Aug. 28.—About 2,000 insurgents now near Vodena have been ordered to concentrate in the mountains of Mavrovo. They are expected to attack Vlahovo and Kastoria. During the night of August 25 a force of insurgents attacked Neveska, where 300 soldiers were stationed, 200 of whom were killed. The insurgents have constructed earthworks. Seven battalions of Turkish troops which arrived at Neveska this morning are now bombarding the defenses.

LATEST SYRIAN NEWS WAS RELIEF TO SIYUFY

East End Merchant Knew Magelssen, American Vice Consul at Beirut.

The news that William C. Magelssen, vice consul at Beirut, Syria, was not assassinated was received by no one with greater joy than Siyufy Siyufy, the East End Syrian fur merchant. Only the latter news arrived Siyufy had feared that Mr. Magelssen had been killed by the Turks because of his connection with the cause of the supposed assassination.

Mr. Siyufy, whose old home is in Tripoli, Syria, visited there in the summer of 1902. Having a letter from Secretary John Hay commending him as the good citizen of Pittsburgh, he made the acquaintance of Consul Magelssen at Beirut and saw Magelssen. The consul's knowledge of dragomen, met Siyufy on the ship.

Siyufy had various dealings with the pasha, who was a prominent Turk and Siyufy complained to Magelssen that the pasha had tried to extort money from him and the latter was discharged.

The latter was a bad man," said Mr. Siyufy. "I understand he has threatened the consul's life, and I was afraid when I first heard that Magelssen had been killed that the deed was done by the pasha out of revenge."

ACTOR HAWORTH NO MORE.

Found Dead by His Sister in Room at Hotel Near Family Home.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 28.—Joseph Haworth, the well-known actor, was found dead in a room in the Kingsley hotel, at Willoughby, O., a small village a few miles east of this city, tonight. A bottle containing carbolic acid was found by his sister, Miss Clara Haworth, who went to his room to call him, as they were to go together to the family home, a mile or two from the hotel. Death is supposed to have been due to heart disease.

Joseph Haworth was born in Philadelphia, Pa., in 1855. He had been prominent in the theatrical world for 25 years and was one of the first actors to come under the influence of the veteran, John A. Ellsler. Haworth had been doing repertoire work in Cleveland for the past Julius Cesar, supporting Barry Johnstone, as Cassius.

SIX DEATHS BY FLOOD.

Mother and Two Children Drowned While Being Rescued from Housetop.

OMAHA, NEB., Aug. 28.—Three deaths are reported as a result of the high water. Two of them were Jefferson Keep and Edgar Hemphire, aged 10 and 11, in South Omaha. They were swimming in some back water and got beyond their depth and were drowned. The third was Mrs. Fadden, who lost her life in the flooded cellar at his home in Council Bluffs. Residents are still sufferers, although a few trains were started today.

NODAWAY, IA., Aug. 28.—In an attempt to rescue the family of William Ambrose, consisting of father, mother and four children, who had taken refuge on their housetop, the raft overturned, drowning Mrs.

NO DECISION HAS BEEN REACHED

Allegheny Republicans Have Not Settled Upon a Candidate for the Shrievalty Nomination.

BIGELOW AS A REFORMER

Insists That All Pledges Must Be Speedily Redeemed — Says That His Man Brown Is Acting Like a Coy Maiden.

Allegheny Republicans have not yet settled on a candidate for sheriff. Numerous people are still being discussed. Senator Charles A. Muehlbronner says that he will decide today whether he will respond to the call of his friends and go into the contest.

County Chairman Thomas J. Ford is to return from his vacation today. He will at once begin the perfection of the district organizations so that they will be ready for work when the Republican nominations are made. Treasurer D. L. Gillespie is also due to return today. This will bring all of the Republican officials back to the city.

The old soldiers predict that their league will indorse Major Robert E. Stewart for district attorney at the meeting next Thursday night, if Major Stewart decides to go into the primaries, he will probably have but the one opponent, Lawrence E. Cook of the Sixth ward. Cook has a number of delegates set up and is making a hard fight for the nomination. Thomas M. Marshall is being urged by friends to enter the contest. He is now in New York. When he returns he will announce what he intends to do.

Again a Reformer.

Thomas S. Bigelow has become remarkably desirous within the last two days to have the Citizens redeem their pledges. He declares that the ordinance taxing all corporations employing public franchises 5 per cent of their gross earnings must be put through councils at once. His councilmen have been holding it up for over a year, but now he is hunting votes. He thinks that it should be passed at once and the courts given an opportunity to pass upon its constitutionality. He says that he is in favor of passing all ordinances to which the Citizens are pledged. When asked if this included the bill to abolish the delinquent tax office, he replied by saying: "Well, I don't know about that." He also declares that the blanket employment ordinance, championed by his brother, Director E. M. Bigelow, must not be passed.

When asked what he intended to do about the railroad ordinances, Thomas S. Bigelow made this remarkable statement:

I do not know. I am not concerned in that. I was only interested in helping to get the bill passed by the common branch. The Pennsylvania railroad has been very kind to us with railroad passes during our campaigns, and of course we had naturally a feeling of gratitude. Nevertheless, I did not want take hold of the ordinance. They came to me, though, and said: "We have helped you and now, when we want a little help, you propose to turn us down." Of course, there was nothing left for me then but to do what I could. The arrangement, however, was that I should only help to get the ordinance through common council.

"Coy Mr. Brown."

T. M. Brown, Bigelow's shrievalty nominee, is still amusing. He has not emerged from the "wilderness," to announce whether or not he intends to accept the nomination handed him by the bosses. While he contends that he is thinking, Bigelow is having fun at his expense. The head of the machine was asked yesterday if he thought Brown would accept. He replied:

"Oh, yes, of course. Mr. Brown will accept, but he is coy like the maiden. That is all right. You know it is just as well to be that way some times."

Brown said last night that he had not reached a decision.

Murry A. Verner is to return to the city Monday and according to Mayor Hays, he has promised to stay at home until the fall campaign is over. Although Hays has been made chairman of the Citizens campaign committee, he says that he does not propose to conduct the fight. He insists that Verner will have to shoulder the responsibility. Hays contends that he will be so busy in his official capacity that he will not have much time to devote to politics. With the prospect of a licking in sight, Bigelow and Hays are willing to allow Verner to win any laurels he can.

FINAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR LABOR DAY PARADE

Divisions Were Assigned Assembling Places, and They Will Move at 10 A. M.

The general committee of the Labor day demonstration at a meeting last night made final arrangements for the parade September 7. The various divisions were assigned places at which to assemble and the line of march was approved.

Chief Marshal E. A. Maginn and staff will form on Duquesne way, west of the Sixth street bridge, in the rear of officers and invited guests and the band. The structural iron workers will form in the rear of the chief marshal and staff. New Castle, Sharon and visiting delegations will form in the rear of the structural iron workers, right facing east, this body to not go any farther than Fifth street.

The first division, composed of miscellaneous trades, with John J. Swan as marshal, will form on Duquesne way, Fourth and Fifth streets, right resting in Fifth street, and line up according to number drawn at the convention.

The second division, composed of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers, will form on Duquesne way, west of Third street, right resting at Third street, and line up according to number. This division must not cross Penn avenue.

The third division, with Henry W. Laglsitner as marshal, will form on Duquesne way east of the Sixth street bridge, right resting at the Sixth street bridge, and line up after the division marshal according to the number drawn at convention. This division must not cross Ninth street.

The fourth division, with Uriah Bellingham as marshal, will form on the wharf, west of Fifth street, the right resting at Fifth street, and line up according to arrangements.

All organizations must be in line not later than 9:30 a. m. and report to the division marshal upon arrival, and the aides will place them in their proper place. The parade will start promptly at 10 a. m.

It was decided last night that the hats for the aides must be paid for by the organizations which they represent. Last year the general committee paid for the headgear out of the receipts. Prizes to the amount of $600 will be awarded winners of the different sporting events. Sports will begin promptly at 2 p. m. at the oval in Schenley park. Souvenir badges will be sold to the members of the organization at cost, 25 cents each.

For coach, driving, saddle horses, or ponies, write Powell Bros., Shadeland, Pa.

You Don't Have to Steal

A few minutes from a busy day to do your banking. North American Savings Co. is open until 9 p. m. Saturdays.

Cape May at Its Best—Rare Opportunity.

Only $32.25 round trip from Pittsburgh via Pennsylvania Railroad, including seven days' board at the Stockton, Congress Hall and Chalfonte hotels, beginning August 31 or September 1.

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Parlor Car Trains for Erie
$5.00 Round Trip,
via Pennsylvania Lines.

Leave Pittsburg Union station 9:05 a. m. and 5:35 p. m., Allegheny 9:12 a. m. and 5:42 p. m., city time, Saturdays. Excursion tickets good to return until Monday.

FLOOD VICTIMS' BODIES FOUND

Remains of Scott Sisters and Annie Plappert Were at Different Places.

SAD SCENES ON GIRTY'S RUN

Mothers of the Girls Were Prostrated With Grief—Sad News Received by a Brother—Funerals Will Take Place Tomorrow.

After four hours' diligent search by a party headed by Fire Chief C. W. Gardner of Millvale, the bodies were found of the three girls who met death in Girty's run, the loss of whom was told exclusively in yesterday's Gazette. At 5 o'clock, nearly three hours after the accident, the body of Annie M. Plappert, aged 19, of Oak station, Pittsburgh & Castle Shannon railway, who was a visitor at the Scott home, was found at the foot of Butler street, Millvale, near Hoehl's brewery, where it had been washed ashore. An hour later the body of Mabel Scott, aged 22, the oldest of the Scott girls, was found wedged between driftwood, at North avenue and Franklin street, and a half an hour later the body of her sister Oneta, aged 18, was found on the creek bank at Evergreen road, near Stoll's blacksmith shop. The bodies were taken to the undertaking room of Pfeifer & Grell, Grant avenue, Millvale, and after being viewed by a deputy coroner, were taken to the Scott home in Evergreen yesterday afternoon. Later the body of Miss Plappert was removed to her parents' residence.

The scenes about the Scott home, which is three miles from the end of the Millvale car line, were most pathetic. The mother is completely prostrated from grief, and as her health has been poor for some time, her condition is critical. James Scott, the father, reached the undertaking rooms, where the bodies of his daughters lay, early yesterday morning and completely collapsed.

Martin Hauck, an eye witness to the tragedy, said yesterday:

Story of an Eye Witness.

"I was playing in the band that furnished the music for the dance in Bowerstown hall, which the party had just left, when I stepped outside to get a drink of water. Walter Hays Scott, a brother of the two girls, had just started to drive homeward and had gone about 50 feet when I saw him get out and start to lead the horse. Suddenly I saw the road, which had been undermined by the storm, give away and the horse, carriage and occupants were thrown down into Girty's run.

"The stream, which had been swollen by the rains, was over six feet in depth and was raging so furiously that when I reached the bank the carriage had been reduced to splinters against the rocks, while the horse, which was attached only to the shaft, was being turned over and over.

"I saw Walter holding up his sister Florence, and I helped them ashore. I then took off my clothes and waded in after the others, but saw them carried swiftly down stream. I ran down along the bank to head them off, but could not catch them, hearing their feeble cries of 'Help! Help!' fade away in the distance."

George Warden of Millvale, who was betrothed to Mabel Scott, was an early visitor at the undertaking establishment in Grant avenue, Millvale, yesterday morning. His grief was unconsolable, and the whole community seemed to grieve over the loss. The girls were very popular, beautiful and possessed of sunny dispositions.

Sad News for Charles Scott.

Charles Scott, a brother, who had been visiting Pittsburgh, first learned of the sad news through The Gazette yesterday morning, and hastened home.

"I was sitting in the East End car barn, where I was employed early yesterday morning," said young Scott, "when a telephone message came in that three girls had been drowned in Girty's run, and I little dreamed that two of them were my sisters, until I saw the account in The Gazette."

All of the Scott family were well known in Lawrenceville, where they lived for many years. The family first resided in Thirty-eighth street, near Foster street, and the dead girls and their brothers and sisters received their early education at the Fifteenth ward school. About six years ago they removed to Forty-second street, below Butler street. For about three years they had been living in Southern avenue, near Southern park, Baldwin township.

James Scott, the head of the family, is a well-known mill worker of this city, having been for many years a heater in Clark's mill, Thirty-fifth street and Allegheny Valley railway, and resides at No. 435 Cedar street, Bloomfield. He formerly was employed by a local laundry. Walter Hays Scott, also a brother, is a steel inspector at the Homestead steel works. Charles Scott, another brother, had been a heater at various mills in this city, but for a time had worked as a conductor on the local street car lines.

Annie M. Plappert, one of the victims of the flood lived with her parents, John and Mary Plappert, at Oak station, Baldwin township. Mrs. Plappert was in a serious condition yesterday through grief.

The funerals of the three drowned girls will take place from their respective late residences tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

K. OF P. HOME NEAR HERE.

Will Probably Be on a Farm Some Place in Western Pennsylvania.

The Knights of Pythias are soon to have a home in western Pennsylvania which will compare favorably with anything of its kind belonging to any order. The grand council, at a meeting in Carbondale recently, voted unanimously to buy a farm in western Pennsylvania and erect a home for members of the organization. The committee which has the matter in charge, of which Dr. J. A. J. Haupt, of No. 1726 Carson street, South Side, is chairman, will meet next Tuesday and further the plans. It is expected that the home will cost about $50,000, and may be located in Allegheny county.

The grand council at first contemplated erecting a large building in some city, but the plan of a farm with a well-equipped house large enough to supply the present needs of the organization met with much more favor than the first plan. Nothing definite has been decided except that they would build such a place. Details have not been decided upon. It will be a state affair. The Pythian Home of Pennsylvania, as it will be called was pushed forward by the members representing Allegheny county at the grand council.

CRAZY FROM DRINK ATTEMPTED SUICIDE

"Fire!" "Murder!" cried a shaggy, glassy-eyed man as he rushed into the Allegheny police station at 6 o'clock yesterday morning almost exhausted. Captain Agnew promptly diagnosed the case as a raving drunk and consigned the man to a cell. As the prisoner continued to yell, an investigation was begun and it showed that he had attempted to take his life by butting his head against the stone walls of the cell. He was then removed to the Allegheny General hospital, where he gave the name of Frederick Lingelbach, a cigar maker of No. 1819 Gladstone street, Allegheny.

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To Economy, Saturday and Sunday at 3 p. m.

THINKS IT WAS MURDER; MAKING INVESTIGATION

Coroner Looking Up Case of Man Who Got Death Blow in Grant Street—Negro's Suicide. Morgue Cases of a Day.

Coroner Jesse M. McGeary is conducting a rigid investigation into the death of Joseph McDowell, aged 25 years, a painter who died at Mercy hospital yesterday afternoon. It appears to have been a murder. On August 18 McDowell stood in Grant street, talking with two men. The three had been drinking a good deal. An argument was started and one of the men struck McDowell a blow in the face, knocking him down. His head struck the stone pavement.

McDowell sustained a fracture at the base of the skull, to which he succumbed yesterday afternoon. When the man died the case was turned over to the morgue and the coroner immediately ordered an investigation. The men who were with McDowell have not been seen since.

Charles Garner, a negro, aged 37 years, of No. 1318 Gibbon street, committed suicide yesterday afternoon at the home of his sister, Mrs. Annie Gray, of Gilmore street by shooting himself in the temple. Policeman Thomas Mulkaray was summoned to the house and arrived there just as Garner was breathing his last. Garner had been drinking heavily for two weeks. Before that he had been employed as a driver for Burns & Gilliman, undertakers. He leaves a widow and one child.

Mrs. Emma Sockel, aged 34 years, of No. 17 Spruce alley, Etna, died in the Allegheny General hospital yesterday of burns received on August 24. She was pouring oil from a can on a fire. The flames ignited her dress and she was badly burned.

John Langer, aged 45 years, of No. 1040 Perry street, Allegheny, was killed at the McIntosh-Hemphill plant at Twelfth street yesterday afternoon by an iron casting striking him on the head.

Michael Spankhan, aged 30 years, of No. 343 Baltimore street, Baldwin, was crushed between a railroad car and a building at the Carrie furnace yesterday afternoon and died last night at Mercy hospital.

Charles Leacock, aged 24 years, of Moon Run, was killed yesterday afternoon by a fall of slate in the Moon Run mines.

Jesse Goff, 20 years old, an oil pumper of Marshall township, was found dead yesterday morning beside a gas engine on the Swimp farm, Franklin township. It is thought he was crushed to death by heavy ropes at the well.

Fred Bet, a Polish coal miner, was killed by a Pittsburgh & Lake Erie train at the Blaine coal works in Elizabeth township Thursday night. He was 35 years old and lived near the mines.

The funeral of Antonio Mobley, an Italian who was killed on a handcar on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, which was stopped by the coroner Thursday, was permitted yesterday. The case was not reported to the coroner through an oversight, and the funeral was delayed until a proof of death was taken.

CHARGES FELL FLAT.

No Evidence Produced to Show That Homestead Police Have Been Bribed.

The promised sensation in Homestead in connection with the alleged bribing of the police of that borough by speakeasy proprietors fell flat at the hearing yesterday before Mayor Brunell. S. Rosenthal was the lawyer made to face Bessie Goodman, who alleged she paid various sums of money for protection. She was fined Monday for conducting a disorderly house and later made information against Morris Goldman and his wife on similar charges. Mrs. Goodman, at the hearing, was unable to substantiate any of the charges and could not tell to whom she had paid money. Goldman and his wife were fined $25.

Charges Against Grocers.

Acting on informations made by E. D. Miller, agent for the state pure food department, Alderman John Grosztinger yesterday held George Ferguson of Penn avenue, Turtle Creek, and C. Liggett of No. 616 Braddock avenue, Braddock, in $200 bond for court. The former is charged with selling preserves containing benzoic acid, and the latter with selling lard or process butter. W. H. Bell of Sheraden, who was informed against for selling impure maple syrup, asked for time so as to confer with persons from whom he purchased the stuff, as he said he had bought it for pure syrup. His hearing was deferred for two weeks.

WAY OUT OF THE DIFFICULTY.

Use of Old Text Books in Allegheny Recommended Until Court's Settlement.

In regard to the controversy over the adoption of text books in Allegheny the following communication, which is self-explanatory, has been sent to the school directors, city superintendent and school principals of Allegheny by David B. Oliver, president of the board of school controllers of Allegheny:

An unfortunate controversy has arisen in connection with the adoption of school books to be used during the next school term, beginning September 1. Two separate sets of books are alleged to have been adopted by the board of school controllers, and if the use of both sets is attempted, confusion will ensue, the course of study will be interrupted, ill feelings will be engendered, and there will be a waste of time, money and unity of effort so essential to satisfactory progress in school work.

Application has been made to the courts for a decision on the matters in controversy, the result of which is expected about September 15; pending which, I recommend on your part the continued use of all the old books only, as used during the last school term, as being the best course to follow under the circumstances. In case the decision should be adverse to the new books, no trouble can then arise with their publishers in the way of compensation for the temporary use of their books; and, if the decision should be favorable to the new books, their introduction and use can be effected with a regular and orderly manner, with little loss of time, and without any friction or ill feeling.

This course will cause the least interference with existing conditions and will best promote the welfare of our schools.

It will be noted in the above that the Allegheny schools open Thursday, September 3, and not Monday, August 31, as published.

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Youre today the 75, 85 and 1.00 ones for..... 58c
More Elaborate ones, made to sell for 1.25 and 1.50 Today for..... 87c

Part also of a Makers Surplus Stock of Fine Shirtwaists deserve another mention: All sizes and all new, Wash Waists clean stock, pearl buttons in front, stock collars beautifully designed and splendidly trimmed.
Madras Cloth and Fine Figured Madras made to sell for 1.25 and 1.50. Today..... 58c
Madras Cloth and Dainty Figured Dimities made to sell for 1.75 and 2.00. Today..... 98c

98c Best Quality White Madras Waists, Star Make, button in back, regularly sold for 1.50, 2.25 and 2.50 for 98 Cents. And Colored Madras ones regularly sold at same prices Today for..... 78c

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Friday's vote for the Queen of the Oakland Carnival will be counted at 12 o'clock today and, hereafter, at the request of your store, the vote will be counted at noon each day.

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And we further desire to impress upon the minds of all women who intend buying furs that when this large collection, which is diminishing rapidly, is closed, neither you nor we can buy furs for any such prices as we are now retailing them.

This applies as well to the inexpensive furs as to the rich and costly furs.

Our Autumn Lines of Men's Clothing.

The new clothing seems to have an especial interest for young men getting ready for their school and college. This week we have fitted out quite a number of young men—fitted them out complete—even to the heavy Winter Overcoat. You would hardly think we were ready with Mid-Winter clothing, but we are.

The new line of men's Autumn suits take a range from $10 easily along and up to $35. The $10 Suits, about as low in price as any man who cares for appearance desires to pay, are the best suits we could find to sell for that very low figure. Frankly, we are more particular about our $10 and $12 Suits than we are about the suits above the $20 quotation. Tailors, unless carefully bound by contract, are apt to slight the lower priced grades of suits. But we will have no slighting on any clothing sold in this store, no matter what the price.

And for that very reason we are justified in claiming for our clothing just as excellent tailor work as though each one of the many thousands of suits was specially made by a custom tailor. As to the cloth, and in all cases a perfect fit, each is guaranteed to be satisfactory. What more could any tailor say?

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Saturday, August 29, 1903.

Late news from Constantinople is to the effect that United States Vice Consul Magelssen has not been killed. An attempt was made on his life, but the bullet went wide of its mark, and Mr. Magelssen was not injured. The vali of the district called upon the American, expressed his regret, promised to use every effort to apprehend the would-be assassin and took measures for the better protection of the vice consul in future. On this statement of facts there is nothing to be done but to stop Admiral Cotton at Genoa and assure Abdul Hamid of our distinguished consideration. No harm has been done, however, by so promptly putting the machinery in motion to demand and enforce reparation. It is a highly regrettable circumstance that so serious a mistake was made in the cipher telegram, especially as the shock has been great to Mr. Magelssen's relatives and friends. But there is little to be concerned about in Turkey's case. The error gave an opportunity to show what would have happened had the assassin been a better marksman, and it may assist in preventing such attacks for the future. An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure, and the American people may rejoice that the incident ends as it does, rather than in a hostile demonstration.

Now that an election is coming on the proprietor of the Citizens party organization says that he is in favor of legislation in fulfillment of party pledges. These moods of public responsibility come on only at election times, and disappear immediately afterward. No abuse has been so persistently harped upon in campaigns as the superfluous delinquent tax office, but on acquiring power to carry out reforms the Citizens party has fought obstinately against action of any kind. Its reform pledges are for campaign use only.

Butler had a narrow escape from a Johnstown calamity, but since that affair the risks to which people are exposed in the path of water reservoirs are so keenly appreciated that they are on the alert. As it was, people had to flee for safety in their night clothing. The dam gave way gradually, thus affording time to get out of the way when the warning signals were given. The violent rains that we have been having impose an exceptional strain upon all flood barriers and impose the need of special care in any exposed locality. A number of fatal accidents by flood and storm are reported, one of them being the death of three young ladies out of a party returning home from a dance, who were thrown into Girty's run by the collapse of the roadway.

Though the storms of the past few days have been unpleasant they afford the opportunity to make another shipment of river coal to the south, breaking all records for the year. Nature has been unusually kind to the rivermen this year and to southern fuel consumers. A few years ago we heard much of the danger that Beaumont oil would supplant coal in the southern market. There has been no realization of that prediction. Southern fuel consumption has been greatly increased and Pittsburgh coal has shared in the development. Texas oil is finding a field of usefulness without breaking in on Pittsburgh preserves, and this remarkable year has given proof of the advantage of permanent navigation on the Ohio that ought to boom the proposed improvement of that river.

There have been rumors about the Pittsburgh Coal Company that have greatly misrepresented it. These are now authoritatively denied, along with an explanation of the business arrangement which apparently gave rise to them. The fact is the Pittsburgh Coal Company will continue under its present management with a broader policy, and there is every reason to believe one more profitable to the corporation and to the Pittsburgh district. Coincidental with the unofficial announcement of business arrangements by a stockholder in the company, President Robbins yesterday talked to the miners, officially, in a way that leaves no room for misunderstanding. The Pittsburgh Coal Company has brought about mining conditions greatly to the advantage of the miners, and it will continue that policy as long as the miners permit it to do so. Thus two questions are cleared up satisfactorily to the community.

Sir Thomas Lipton has expressed himself as being without hope of winning any cup races this year and as not being ambitious to pursue the contest any farther. This latter phase is unpleasant news. Sir Thomas has been so thoroughly sportsmanlike and good-natured that the American people had begun to hope he would persevere until the cup was his. Of course, they appreciate the fact that he has done more than enough already for genuine sport, but they will be sorry to lose him. The next race may be participated in by several nations, both Japan and Germany having the matter under consideration. Great Britain ought to be represented, too, and while it is only fair that someone else should assume the burden, no one can be more welcome than the owner of the three Shamrocks.

A curious trial on charges of extortion with the working of labor organizations is about to begin in New York. The evidence upon which the indictments were found was obtained in preparing the case against Walking Delegate Parks, recently sentenced to Sing Sing prison. Three employers are now to be proceeded against, the extortion of which they are alleged to be guilty being the use of labor organizations to compel payment of business claims under threat of ordering a strike if refused. In one of these cases it is alleged that a contractor had a claim of $1,800 against another contractor, but instead of taking it into court laid it before a board of walking delegates representing the building trades, who notified the alleged debtor that he should pay or else a strike would be ordered against him. Under this duress the claim was settled by the payment of $900. Labor organizations must have traveled a long way from their original purpose when they can be converted into claim agents handling accounts between employers.

Although the Johnson Democracy indorsed the Kansas City platform and complimented Bryan, they indorsed for senator a gold Democrat, who voted against Bryan in both campaigns. Ex-Congressman Lentz, although a personal friend of Johnson, declares the indorsement is a great weakness to the ticket. The indications are that the free silverites will sulk because of this dereliction from principle. On the other hand, the conservative elements of the party, the class of whom Thurman was a typical representative, are incensed by the way old-fashioned Democratic ideas are submerged by new-fangled Socialistic ideas. Johnson's declaration made in his convention speech, that "we must rid the party of men who put factionalism above principle," is now being used against him, and the tip is going out that it will be a party advantage to get rid of the Johnson type of factionalism by dumping the ticket at the next election. The returns of the next Ohio election will probably show that conservative Democrats got in their work.

The Courageous Course.

Everything indicates that President Roosevelt will adhere to his intention to call an extra session and to recommend currency legislation. Among his recent visitors have been Congressman Fowler, who is an earnest advocate of branch banking and note issues, based upon assets, and who is being warmly antagonized by banking interests on that account. The country banks are opposed to branch banking, just as a country storekeeper would be to repealing a law prohibiting big city stores from having country branches, if such a law were in existence. Branch banking would probably reduce current rates for country loans an average of 2 per cent, and it is human nature to resist a change that would make such a cut in profits. In fact, little country banks could hardly keep going under such competition, and the present system of isolated banks would be superseded by banks of large capital operating through numerous branches, as in Canada and Scotland.

Another source of antagonism to Congressman Fowler's bill is the strong opposition of influential banking interests to any change which will put upon the banks the responsibility of coin redemption. The task of preparing any legislation that will satisfy conflicting interests is extremely difficult, but the problem has to be faced, for the basis of the present system is being steadily undermined by the shrinking of the national debt. When it comes to the point that the government borrows money, not because it needs it but in order to furnish a basis for national bank circulation, the present system is doomed and action of some kind is compulsory. That is the problem now confronting President Roosevelt, and he is attacking it with characteristic courage, foresight and vigor.

Strong Arm Justified.

It is no mere idle contention that the United States has the right to proceed with the construction of the Panama canal regardless of the rejection of the Hay-Herran treaty by the Colombian senate. True, the big republic would lay itself open to the sentimental charge of gaining its ends by using the strong arm. But what other world power has ever hesitated to use force under similar circumstances? Is Great Britain in possession of Suez by any right superior to our own in the Isthmus of Panama? Would Russia have been content with its railroad terminal at Vladivostock had China been as unreasonable and unfaithful as Colombia?

It is not merely the interests of the United States that are to be served by the Panama canal, but the interests of commerce, industry and civilization the world over. For less than that Germany, Holland and France have undertaken the conquest of territory. There is not a power in Europe that would hesitate in such a situation, though they might resort to devious diplomacy and even corruption to bring on the war that would result in obtaining possession of what they desired.

Up to the present moment the United States has conducted its side of the negotiations in open and honorable fashion. Before beginning to deal with the Panama Canal Company it obtained an expression of views from the Colombian government. Then it negotiated a treaty in more liberal terms than had been suggested as fair to Colombia. That treaty has been rejected by the Colombian senate solely because an unfortunate clause in the Spooner law made a treaty necessary and opened a possible avenue to blackmail the United States out of a large sum of money. Obviously, if the conditions of power were reversed, Colombia would not hesitate to send a fleet and an army to demand the backsheesh which its brigand senators are endeavoring to secure in another way. There is no element of the pirate or brigand about the United States. It is so generous it hesitates to demand its own for under the treaty with New Granada it has authority for constructing the canal. Moreover, it has a duty as a sort of guardian and trustee for all the Americas to insist upon improvements that are necessary to the world's progress.

We hope the course of events may obviate the necessity of seeming to use arbitrary power in this matter. But if all other means fail, we believe the United States fully justified in repealing the treaty clause of the Spooner compromise and in proceeding under the charter of the Panama Canal Company and the treaty with New Granada to construct the ship canal.

The Business Situation.

A review of the week does not present any striking changes in financial or commercial affairs. In Wall street the dealings in stocks and bonds have fallen to the smallest volume for any week this year. This is entirely in accord with antecedent conditions. Speculative pools that were forced to liquidate their holdings are in no position to resume operations. Bearish cliques no longer meet success in attacking values, because securities have fallen into the hands of investors who are not affected by the daily fluctuations on the stock exchange. The banks are not encouraging new undertakings, particularly of a speculative character. Thus the professional trader and the promoter are practically eliminated from the market, and the latter is left to take care of itself.

The stagnation in Wall street is not a reflex of commercial and industrial conditions throughout the country. On the contrary, it is largely the effect of the causes already referred to, and is due to the additional fact that the banks are reserving their loanable funds for the use of mercantile and other borrowers. Ordinarily during the midsummer season the great financial institutions make a special effort to ascertain the existing and prospective demands of legitimate trade. The inquiries made during the last three weeks along this line indicate that general business this fall will continue active. It will be conducted with a little more conservatism, perhaps, than last year and the year before, when the rush of trade was so great; but in volume, if not in net profits, it will be of normal proportions. To handle this trade the banks are husbanding their resources. In New York, despite the fact that surplus reserves of the banks are above the average of the season for the last four or five years, the rate on time loans is held firm at 6 per cent. This rate shuts out the stock market operator on margins, but is not onerous on the merchant and manufacturer. Last year the banks were apparently imbued with the reckless optimism of Wall street speculators, and instead of holding their funds for the merchant, the manufacturer and the grain shipper, they loaned it freely to the "street." The result was a period of stringency during the last quarter of the year that has seldom been equaled. There is not likely to be a repetition of this experience this year.

The backward condition of the crops is a factor in the situation that did not have to be reckoned with last year. Three weeks from this date, however, the bulk of the corn crop will be out of danger from frost. If the latter is escaped within this period, there will be a relief in business circles. The weather crop bulletin issued by the government during the week was full of encouragement, the corn crop having made rapid progress during the preceding week.

Prices of commodities have been fairly well maintained. The strength in wheat is based upon light receipts at domestic markets, and reports of unfavorable conditions for foreign crops. In the iron trade there is evidence that considerable business is being held back waiting for price concessions. This is demonstrated by the increased activity which followed the reduction in pig iron. Bank exchanges diminish with the falling off in stock market operations, but railroad earnings continue to increase at a rate that is truly remarkable.

Speed and Safety.

Rapid transit and public safety are intelligently discussed by Dr. Bell in the Electrical Review. Pointing out how the danger zone is enlarged by increase of speed in electric cars, Dr. Bell says that failure to have cars under control is less often due to neglect in the inspection of equipment, or neglect on the part of the crew than to ignorance. He ventures the opinion that few motormen are ever taught the precise distance in which a car may be stopped at varying speeds. In railroad practice engineers are taught the laws of impulse and friction and know absolutely in what distance a train can be stopped, going at any given speed.

Dr. Bell might have added that in trolley car operation the necessity of making a certain schedule is impressed upon motormen, practically to the exclusion of all else. Motormen serve but a few days of apprenticeship, and it is not required of them that they should have any knowledge of mechanism. In railroading, on the contrary, the first rules of the company deal with safety and engineers must prepare by years of service as firemen in the cab with trained engineers.

Dr. Bell also gives some attention to the automobile. He believes it has come to stay and that its danger zone is considerably less than that of the trolley car. It is usually better equipped in brake power, and has facility in turning from its path to avoid collision with other objects on the roadway. He advocates rigorous restriction of speed, however, but declares this cannot be secured by legislation imposing fines for violation. Imprisonment alone will be effective. We agree with Dr. Bell on these points and also in the claim that popular prejudice against the automobile is wholly unwarranted. The machine ought to be welcomed. It is more cleanly and easier upon the roadway than vehicles drawn by horses. Properly regulated as to speed and precautions it will prove safer than horses. It never shies; it rarely runs away; it is usually as carefully directed. Accidents with horses are far more numerous than with motor cars, but they are less noticed because no longer novel. They have passed into the category of necessary evils along with the killings and maimings on railroads and railways. The motor car has suffered in reputation at the hands of reckless votaries, who would be the better for sequestration for at least a long enough time to quiet their nerves. It is idle to oppose the coming of the motor car. It is wise to insist it shall come with proper regulation and restrictions.

It is pointed out that Gen. Miles, who recommends road-making for soldiers in the United States, recommended that soldiers in the Philippines be relieved of that arduous task.

Dr. Holland has brought over one of Europe's finest collections for the Carnegie museum. That is one way we get over for the voluntary influx of European population.

As Turkey does not have to be attended to Uncle Sam can give his divided attention today to the yacht race and the New England war game.

There was one good feature about that report from Beirut. It gave us a chance to express our real opinion about Turkey.

How easy it is to talk about reform in campaign times and neglect to do anything in the intervals. Ask Mr. Bigelow.

It might be suggested to the health bureau that liberal use of formaldehyde in infected places would help some.

Admiral Cotton may pull off a friendly call on the sultan yet to round out his social career for the year.

Sir Thomas Lipton has given up hope and intimates he will not come again. For that we are all sorry.

No irrigation is needed in this section of the country unless the ditches are used for drainage purposes.

An August barge stage is not the usual thing, but there's nothing ordinary about this year's weather.

Uncle Sam may have a slight nasal impediment in his speech, but he knows how to do business.

Some of the people who did not like Secretary Root in office are grouchy because he has resigned.

"What has Hanna to present on the other side?"—Post. He proposes to stand pat, neighbor.

Those reports of Vice Consul Magelssen's death appear to have been greatly exaggerated.

James P. Mulvihill's ubiquity may become troublesome to the Democratic organization.

If we can't give Sir Thomas the cup he has the nation's hearty good wishes.

President Roosevelt is a man of action—quick action and good judgment.

Gen. Miles' automobile idea is too fast for some of the army authorities.

There was a good yachting breeze in Pittsburgh yesterday afternoon.

Turkey was up against it hard while the rumor lasted.

That cipher telegram was not sent by wireless either.

There are signs of a real breeze for today's yacht race.

Abdul Hamid breathes again.

IN THE EYE OF FAME.

Prof. Pickering, the Harvard astronomer, has been given the honorary degree of doctor of sciences by the University of Heidelberg.

Louis Siegel, a young violinist of Brazil, Ind., won the gold medal and great distinction, over two Belgian violinists at the Liege Royal Conservatory of Music in Belgium.

Prof. W. J. McGee, the scientist, who has been in charge of the bureau of American ethnology of the Smithsonian institution, has resigned his position with the bureau. Prof. McGee's work as an ethnologist and anthropologist has made him an international reputation.

Two Englishwomen have received from Heidelberg university the first honorary degree of doctor of theology granted by a German university to a woman. They are the twin sisters, Mrs. Agnes Smith Lewis and Mrs. Margaret Dunlop Gibson, who discovered the Sinaitic palimpsest and have done important work in Bible research.

Thomas Cooksey Ward of Charlotte Hall, Md., and known throughout the state as "The Sage of Maryland," died suddenly in his 111th year. He was born on November 28, 1792, and was the only man in Maryland who had lived in three centuries. For nearly 50 years he was state tobacco inspector. He retained his faculties up to the time of his death.

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The Quiet Observer.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

"Yes, sah; de preachers doh his behf, an' dey did stir us up powerful, an' now de's done gone, an' we's all a lot o' poor, miserable sinners," said Uncle Ben after the close of a great revival.

The teachers were here; now they are gone, and we are lonesome, to say the least.

And a fine lot of folks they were. It is no wonder Supt. Hamilton is proud of his aggregation of teaching talent.

Nor is it any wonder they are proud of Hamilton, seeing how well he cares for them, and how he tries to help those along who try to help themselves. Dr. Winship says that Hamilton, as a county superintendent, leads the procession in this state, and with only one dangerous competitor for the place. And Winship knows them all.

He says it is Hamilton's common sense, great humanity, and earnestness that makes him such a success. He never grows old, and never loses interest in his work. Instead of becoming crunky, or fussy, or bossy, he is just as young and fresh in heart as he ever was, showing not the least signs of weariness or discontent.

That's about right. And then his vitality is something wonderful. It seems as if you could not kill him unless you resorted to some extraordinary or unfair means. And as for discouraging him, you just can't do it. Nor has the wily politician, nor the county boss been able to get him into the toils of the political net. He has "other fish to fry," as they used to say.

There are men who think things, others who say things and others who do things.

Hamilton does things; also thinks some and talks some—talks a good deal, in fact he has to, having so many teachers on his hands, each of whom can talk some herself.

Luckily for him he knows how to talk—that is, what to say, when to say it, and how to say it. There are many men who can talk, and who just love to talk to women, but they are not all capable of saying the right thing at the right time, and in the right way.

In fact there are many talkers who know a lot to talk about, but have the very unfortunate habit of saying wrongest things at rightest times, or rightest things at wrongest times, which is just as bad.

Hamilton isn't in this bunch. Nor is Dr. Winship. These two highly successful educators have the happy faculty of saying rightest things at rightest times. And that is the secret of their success, only they make no secret of it.

You should read Hamilton's report of the work he got through with, the number of schools visited and the long jaunts across the country in all sorts of weather. After the mishap which caused him to lose both of the feet which nature had kindly given him, some of the folks thought he would have to give up his job. But he isn't built that way. He walks all right, and will get there, sure.

This recalls Riley's "Coon-dog Wes," who lost a leg as the result of a mishap that befell him in the discharge of the duties imposed by his calling, that of coon hunter.

As fer him, he'd say, says-se,
"I'm resigned to bein' lame—
They was four coons up that tree,
And hounds got 'em, just the same."
'Peared like one or two hurt less
Never worried "Coon-dog Wes."

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It is the fellow who doesn't grow weary and complain and worry who accomplishes most. He feels in his heart that his work is necessary, that it ought to be done well, and that the happiness and success of others depends upon what he is doing. Instead of being cast down by a sense of responsibility he rejoices and is glad of the opportunity to do something for others, and takes pride in doing it well.

That's the sort of fellow Hamilton appears to be—the sort of fellow he is, in fact.

The practical, helpful, efficient teacher doesn't go around with a long face, sad eyes, and tired expression, moaning and complaining about so many boys and girls going to the bad, and fearing the whole country is rushing to the everlasting bow-wows.

No, sir; the helpful teacher, the true prophet and guide, is not built that way. He knows a bad boy when he sees him, and can size him up in short order. He can tell whether he needs a good licking now and then or whether he can be better controlled by something milder. And when he has humanized up he goes at him in earnest, and he stays with him until he not only has him converted but confirmed in a new way of living.

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What is to be done with the bad boys in town?

If let alone many of them will grow up into bad men, and we have too many bad men in this country now.

We are in need of good men, and a lot of them, too, but the prospect for getting them is none the brightest.

Not only is it necessary to suppress the bad boy, but his side partner, the boy who hasn't a chance, must be looked after, for he is almost sure to go wrong as the other.

There are so many boys belonging to these two classes that the country cannot afford to neglect them.

It is not the boy's fault that he is bad—not altogether his fault. He was born a savage. All children are. Intelligence, refinement and culture are the results of education.

This being true, and there are very few so bold as to deny it, the only way to save the boy and girl is to educate them.

All that would be necessary in this state would be to make additions to the state schools already in existence. It might be better, possibly, to erect schools throughout the country where the children could be taught to cultivate the soil, because farming is fast becoming a trade, if not an art.

There need be no odium attached to these schools. Indeed, they should be so managed and so conducted that it would be an honor to be educated in them. They should not be called reform schools or poor schools, but Pennsylvania state schools.

Better to pay taxes to prevent the growth and development of criminals than to prevent them after they have done their mischievous work.

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There is such a thing as stunting an individual, also, a collection of individuals. It is hard to account for the failure of the Greeks and the Romans to keep up their pace on any other grounds than that they had exhausted their energy. Their development had been along certain lines, and limited to certain classes. These favored ones became stunted, either from overwork or from idleness and the various forms of dissipation associated therewith.

We have an advantage in that we aim to educate the many instead of the few, which gives us a much wider field to call from. With such resources our civilization ought to survive much longer than any that have preceded us.

Some of those who watched the progress made during the last half century are about ready to conclude that we are near the end, yet our younger people see great possibilities in the future. None can prophesy, with any great degree of accuracy, however, as to what will be, but judging from the past we may safely conclude the developments of the next half century will be no less remarkable than those of the past.

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The forces of nature seem to be our specialty. With us everything is force, and our energies are chiefly directed to utilizing it for our convenience. We educate the youth of the land to grapple with the forces of nature and turn them to good account. This is the central idea of all systems of education.

May there not be a limit to this course? May it not be possible for us to get such complete control of all the forces of nature, and especially the dynamic forces, that we may sigh for others to subjugate, as Alexander did for other worlds to conquer?

Next to the dynamic forces come the psychic, or mental forces. These, for the present, are classed among the occult or esoteric. We know these are hidden, or occult forces; at least these are phenomena that we cannot explain by any laws of force known to us.

May not the subjugation of this force be reserved for another people? In that case we will be left behind as Greece and Rome have been after fulfilling their missions.

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We apparently occupy a position midway between China and Africa—the oldest and the newest civilizations. The Chinese seem to have lost the power of progression, being afflicted, as it were, with an intellectual and moral progressive locomotor ataxia, while the Africans are as infants tottering, toddling along the paths of civilization. Is it for that virgin soil to develop the masters who are to discover the new forces and develop the new philosophy that are to lift the race into a new plane of civilization?

Talked of in New York

GEORGE C. JENKS.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—Meals may assist digestion, as some scientific authorities say it does, but there is a hare possibility that New Yorkers will have to do without it to hotel dining rooms if the indorsement movement to abolish it is carried out. Many persons like to chat over their dinner. It is not easy to make one's self heard across a table seating four when a lusty quartet with stringed accompaniment, is bellowing forth "Shawatan" or "The Good Old Summer Time." There are other melodies given, of course, but all of them are noisy—or seem so when people desire quietude. If orchestras should be abolished in the uptown restaurants and hotels it would throw out of employment several hundred musicians. It is considered a good thing to hold a dining room position, as they call it, because, in many cases, the players can furnish music for balls and other entertainments later in the evening. So far only casual talk has been heard about finding room music being a nuisance, but there is every likelihood that it will get louder as time passes. This is the season when orchestras become general in dining rooms and if it should be decided to get along without them in two or three of the prominent restaurants, the chances are that the example would be followed. Some consternation has been caused among musicians here by the mere discussion of the subject and it is to be expected that if the chance is made the waitings of the violinists, harpists and cornetists will be much less melodious than the sounds they produce usually.

Cup Racers Had Big "Mud Hooks" Down.

They had to anchor the two cup racers down finally today. The storm that swept around Sandy Hook was savage enough to blow a whole fleet out to sea if they had not been nailed down. Defiance and Shamrock swung at their anchors calmly enough because they had been taken care of as soon as there were signs of dirty weather, while Sir Thomas Lipton from the first seemed rather to enjoy the hurricane. He expects to make his last trial of the series tomorrow, for he has no hope of winning.

Doctors Disagree About Parks.

Word comes from Sing Sing that the doctors' examination of Sam Parks revealed that the ex-walking delegate was not suffering from any organic disease. A physician at the Tombs last week pronounced Parks in the last stages of consumption. These two gentlemen are not the first doctors ever known to disagree.

Interesting Program at Sheepshead Bay.

After being deprived of the pleasure of witnessing a race in New York for three weeks, we shall be able to go out to Sheepshead Bay tomorrow and see some of the most interesting events of the year. The Futurity will be decided then. If the weather is good there will be 20 starters at least, and the race should be interesting unless it turns out to be a contest of mediocrity. However this may be, there is sure to be a large attendance, for New Yorkers who did not go to Saratoga and many who did are hungry for a sight of thoroughbreds in action.

Monument to Harry Elkes.

Bicyclists here are deeply interested in the project to erect a monument over the grave of Harry Elkes, the famous wheelman whose death is still fresh in the general memory. A committee will decide on the size and style of monument to be built, which will depend to a large extent on the amount of money raised. The American bicycling paper, the Bicycling World, of this city, will take charge of the fund, to which everyone and anyone may contribute.

Hastings Will Soon Be All Right.

Ernest Hastings, the actor who is in care of friends at the Lambs club on account of mental trouble, is expected to be all right in a few days. He is being kept quiet and it is thought his overwrought nerves will soon be restored to normal condition. Mr. Hastings is well known in Pittsburgh, where he was a member of the stock company for some time. Since then he has been in Pittsburgh as a member of the "Lover's Lane" company, playing the young minister in that drama. He is considered out of the gravest danger of American actors.

Lost Children in Droves at Coney.

It is considerable of a task to restore 200 lost children to their respective homes. Capt. Tooley of the Coney Island police has accomplished the feat, although it took him 24 hours to do it. The youngsters all got lost yesterday when there were more women and children at the Island than were ever seen there before in a single day, according to the police. A Bronx ice storekeeper had given free children's tickets to everybody applying for them and his bounty led to the disturbance. Some children are lost at Coney Island every day, but yesterday was a record-breaker.

Mrs. Wagner and "Parsifal."

People along the Rialto, and especially in the purlieus of the Metropolitan opera house, laughed knowingly today when a cable message was received that Frau Cosima Wagner will not produce "Parsifal" here in opposition to Herr Conried. No one seriously supposed she would carry out such a project. Now that she has decided it herself, there is no reason for the Metropolitan impresario to give it any further thought—always supposing that he ever has troubled himself about it.

Widow No Longer Needs a Husband.

If Mrs. Anna S. Goldsmith, a pretty young widow of Long Island, had not advertised for a husband last winter, she might be alive now. She died yesterday, the primary cause of her death being given as the strain on her nerves from the notoriety attending her advertisement. She never found the husband she wanted either, and she would not accept any other.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Wolfert's Roost.
M. J. Beeler, D. H. Cable, Mrs. J. Neale, H. E. Thetson.

Manhattan.
S. Caulfe, W. E. Kelser, A. F. McDonald, Miss Alberta Dalzell, Miss H. Dalzell, W. L. Clark, T. M. Hackeman, Mrs. M. Kerrigan, J. D. Waterbet, Mrs. Kaercher.

Darlington.
James H. Graham.

Gregorian.
B. Webster, H. T. Burgwin.

Westminster.
T. V. Donahue, Mrs. Donahue.

Holland.
Alvin C. Spandler, G. W. Fiske, Mrs. Fiske, F. A. McKay, Mrs. McKay, H. M. Hyde, W. J. Lindsay, Miss Lindsay, H. D. Jordan, J. W. Cook.

Netherland.
F. M. Taylor, L. M. Howe, W. H. Williams, G. F. Brandon, W. J. Diehl.

Herald Square.
W. J. Hall, J. Benedict.

MacDonough.
H. E. Todd, O. Herron.

Fifth Avenue.
F. W. Allport, Daniel C. Ripley, Walter C. Malone, John H. Reeves, Henry P. Kane, H. Wescott, Mrs. Wescott, J. T. Bell, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Ida Rose, Mrs. E. McKay, Miss McKay, Miss Shneider.

Victoria.
George C. Lesoy, F. R. Sweetman, A. S. Norris, Mrs. North, Charles Theis, Mrs. Theis, Miss Edna Schneider, F. T. Gutsmuth, George R. Wood.

Hoffman.
Angus McDonald, Bernard Baldwin.

Imperial.
F. T. Hayes, Miss Hayes, William M. Kline, Mrs. Kline, J. Harvey Wardlaw, Mrs. Wardlaw, J. Dean, W. H. Lowe, H. F. Shaw, R. F. Marshall, Mrs. Marshall, M. J. Dooley, J. A. Carroll, Mrs. E. Dooley, Miss Minnie M. Gillis, W. C. Cunningham.

Grand Union.
D. J. Adams, J. A. Gable, E. J. O'Connor, E. N. Robinson, R. B. Brandt.

Park Avenue.
E. B. Johnston.

Astor.
N. M. Draper, J. Gilbert, T. C. Johnston, C. P. Maisels.

Jefferson.
J. A. Kratzer, Mrs. Kratzer.

Cumberland.
W. J. Crouse.

Ashland.
F. E. McKim, J. C. Gilbert, J. G. Geeran, Mrs. Geeran, Miss Geeran, Miss M. G. Winchester.

Continental.
J. Fennert, John Capell.

Sinclair.
W. F. Bennett, Mrs. Bennett.

St. Denis.
W. E. Aiken, Mrs. Aiken, A. H. Hayes, F. G. Hayes.

Union Square.
G. M. Wilson.

Lenox.
Miss E. Wilson.

Marion.
H. M. Parsons.

Broadway Central.
I. Bellas.

Navarre.
Frank E. Sherrick.

Taft's Successor.

Gen. Luke Wright will be as much at home in the governor generalship of the Philippine islands as William H. Taft in the secretaryship of war. It is to every way a capital appointment. The two men went out to the islands together, have studied the problem together, have worked together, and stand for the same things there. During Judge Taft's absence in this country last year Gen. Wright filled his place, and during Gen. Wright's visit here this winter he was consulted by the president and by congress as Judge Taft had been, and no grave schism of like sense. The change will be of men, not of methods nor of objects in view. What is now in progress will be carried through, and new things brought forward will be in line with the successes achieved.

Judge Taft, as we all know, is very popular with the natives, and it is easy to believe that Gen. Wright is also. He has been so intimately associated with his chief that he must share in the good will the latter has aroused. His successes are good agreeable, his experience with men has been large, and he has doubtless impressed people there, as he has here at home, very favorably. The Filipinos, therefore, are likely to feel, as we in the United States do, that we Judge Taft's services are required as a new office, it is fortunate for everybody of interest that so capable a man is at hand ready to take up the work he here does down. It simply completes the record to say that Gen. Wright is a Democrat, and was recommended for appointment by some distinguished members of the party.—Washington Star.

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The announcement by the president that he would appoint Luke E. Wright, now vice governor of the Philippines, to the post made vacant by the elevation of Gov. Taft, is a graceful recognition of eminent public service and similar private character. During the period of Gov. Taft's absence, Mr. Wright discharges the executive duties in a most capable manner. He enjoys the friendship of the Filipinos to a high degree and with his experience with the problems presented in our eastern possessions his administration should be highly successful.

The president is all the more to be congratulated upon his happy selection for the reason that he thus transcends political and sectional considerations. Luke Wright is a Democrat. At the age of 58 he should be a resident and married away with the boys in gray and in the larger army none was more heroic than he. As he responded then, when youth might have excused him service of arms, he has always answered the call of duty. His life is full of incidents to inspire an eulogy and those who know him best esteem him most. As a public man he was practically unknown until President McKinley appointed him a member of the Philippine commission. Having an opportunity he soon became a national character.—Birmingham (Ala.) News.

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The New York Tribune finds satisfaction in the fact that Gen. Luke Wright, who will succeed Judge Taft as the governor generalship of the Philippines, is a staunch and lifelong Democrat. There is more reason for jubilation than appears on the surface. The suitable government of the inhabitants of the Philippine archipelago is a problem that in the successful solution will task the patience and the statesmanship of all parties who may happen to control our federal affairs. It is noteworthy that Gov. Gen. Taft has leaned decidedly toward Democratic methods. So far as possible he has kept native Filipinos in office, and he has tried to break down the barriers to free trade between the islands and the United States, which are maintained in spite of constitutional interdict. It will put no strain upon Gen. Wright's Democracy to follow on in the path indicated by Judge Taft.—Philadelphia Record.

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President Roosevelt has shown splendid judgment in naming Gen. Luke E. Wright to succeed Judge Taft as governor general of the Philippines, and in so doing he is carrying out the policy of President McKinley who more than once publicly expressed confidence in the character and statesmanship of the distinguished Memphis lawyer. Those who know Luke E. Wright were not surprised that he was singled out for this honorable post, and, despite the fact that he is a Democrat, which fact, perhaps, never weighted with the president in making one selection, the country at large will approve the choice.

From the beginning of his connection with the Roosevelt government Gen. Wright displayed all the skill of a man trained in the administration and management of large affairs, bringing into his office a mind filled with a clear, concise conception of the duties that lay before him, and a spirit imbued with the highest ideals of American patriotism and citizenship. Every

FINE ADDITION TO THE MUSEUM

Dr. Holland Enthusiastic Over His Purchase of Belgian Collection.

VERY RICH IN PTEROSAURIA

Ramphorhynchus Is the Chief Attraction. How the Director of the British Museum Got Left on Long-Named Gems.

Dr. W. J. Holland, director of the Carnegie museum, returned yesterday to Pittsburgh from a visit to Europe. While away Dr. Holland, as described in The Gazette yesterday, bought the paleontological collection of Baron de Bayet, secretary of the cabinet of the king of the Belgians. Dr. Holland superintended the taking down and packing of the collection. The work lasted three weeks.

"Dr. A. S. Woodward of the British museum examined the baron's collection and made a report on it for the museum," said Dr. Holland yesterday. "He wrote that it was the most valuable paleontological collection in private hands in Europe, and as he recommended that the museum buy certain specimens in the collection, stating that many specimens were in the museum and that to buy them was unnecessary, as they would only be duplicate specimens the museum already had. He even mentioned the prices the museum might safely pay.

"I corresponded with the baron by cable and had almost effected the purchase of the collection. The baron desired to reserve from the sale the fossils of Belgium, his own country, and I cabled him that I would be in Europe and we could discuss that feature. When I met the baron in Belgium and saw his collection I told him that it was all or nothing, 'tout ou rien,' that if I bought the collection I wanted it all. We closed the deal.

"Now, the price for which I obtained the baron's collection was only a shade more than the total price Dr. Woodward had recommended the museum to pay for certain chosen specimens. When I told Dr. Woodward what I had done he was surprised and also was disappointed because he had not secured the collection for the British museum. He said: 'Well, I am sorry I did not know the baron's collection was in the market.'"

Dr. Holland said the collection is really magnificent. It is especially rich in pterosaurie, and a ramphorhynchus is the king of that flock. It cost originally $2,500. The collection is also rich in fishes and in many rare beasts. It contains fossil shells, corals, plants, one a palm tree seven feet high, fossil shrubs, with even the fruit and blossoms on them, a fine series of trilobites, ammonites and a good collection of North American fossils.

BOUGHT LOT IN RESERVOIR.

Beaver Falls Man's Discovery When He Located His Property.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—John Borlan purchased a lot yesterday on Mount Washington and decided to go to see his purchase. When he arrived on the hill he was surprised to find his lot was covered with water. The reservoir of the Beaver Valley Water Company extended entirely over the lot. When the People's Water Company dug their reservoir two years ago their surveyors made a mistake in locating the site for the reservoir, and the reservoir was dug on a lot east of where it should have been located.

Elliott Pastor Goes to Detroit.

The Rev. Robert D. Davidson, pastor of the Lorenz Avenue Baptist church, Elliott, has accepted a call to become pastor of the Western Avenue church, at Detroit. He will take up his new duties on September 16.

RELATIONS TO BE FRIENDLY

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no change whatever, nor is any contemplated in the ownership of the company. Some of us, already large stockholders, have disposed of holdings in other interests to take more stock, believing Pittsburgh Coal Company stock to be the best investment in this country. There has been no change in officers or employes of the company, nor will there be, and every official and every employe is assured of his position so long as he does his duty.

Speaking to the convention of the pleasure he experienced in meeting them, President Robbins said:

Ever since the day when, as a boy of 13, I began to work on my father's tipple—some of you older men have known me during these years—I have been an earnest and consistent advocate of the right of labor to organize, and of the wisdom of operators and miners meeting annually to form scales of wages and to fix conditions of labor. We, today, stand in this district more closely allied in interest as between employer and employe, than any mining district in this country. There is more friendship existing between operator and miner in this district than there is in any other.

There have been combinations formed—so-called trusts—within the past four years that, in your own judgment and experience you know have enabled you to get better wages and better conditions of labor than you have had heretofore.

There is no work that is worthier or better than that you now engaged in, today, as representatives of this organization; there can be no better work than aiding the sick and injured and caring for the widows and fatherless. The conditions of today give a better answer to the question, "Am I my brother's keeper?" than ever before in the history of theuie world.

Strikes are Fatal.

Your committees at the various mines are responsible for the administration of this association's funds. Any aid that we can render, either in the way of advice, financial help, or any other kind of help, we are always willing and glad to give. The right of labor to organize is one that I have consistently sustained and defended all my life. Now, let me as a friend, say a word of advice; you have a very valuable right, but it depends upon yourselves whether or not you get the most and best out of it. In selecting your leaders and committees, choose conservative men, temperate men, and relegate your hot-heads and intemperate men to the rear, you will always accomplish more by such a course. The opposite, that is natural. People look at things from their own standpoint. But if we are fair, temperate and try to look at the matter from the other man's standpoint, we will always arrive at an understanding.

Nothing was ever accomplished in this world by strikes; they are fatal to you, and they are fatal to us; you lose your work, we lose our trade; and anything that affects the employer comes directly upon you, because upon the amount of work that he can secure for you, depends the wages that you are going to make. Some times employes think that the employer can pay larger wages than he is doing or is willing to do, but they forget that he has competition to meet and many conditions in the market to consider. In addition to the great cost of development at the mines, he has to put immense sums into transportation of the coal and into docks for unloading, storing and reloading of it at points of delivery. There is nothing upon which I would lay more stress than the importance of operators and miners working together and for each other; their interests are absolutely identical.

The entire morning and afternoon business session of the Employes' association convention were consumed in discussions of the by-laws. These will be completed this morning, it is expected, and this afternoon the convention will adjourn.

A dinner was given the delegates and the officers of District No. 5, of the United Mine Workers, at the close of the session in the afternoon, by President Francis L. Robbins, and the delegates were also the guests of the president at a theater party in the evening.

Had a Fight on the Street.

Thomas Wilson, a New York wine merchant, last night engaged in a fistic encounter with Thomas Gillespie, an aged riverman, at Fifth and Liberty avenues. It is said Wilson, while intoxicated, started the fight. Gillespie was giving Wilson a good tussle when Policeman W. J. Mudenai arrived and placed the combatants in jail. Both were charged with disorderly conduct and Gillespie put up a forfeit. Wilson was kept in jail on account of his condition. Both will get hearings this morning.

ROTH AGAIN WINS THE COMPANY D. GOLD MEDAL

Annual Field Day and Shoot of Fourteenth Regiment's Allegheny Command.

The second annual field day and shoot of Company D, Fourteenth regiment, national guard of Pennsylvania, was held yesterday at the regimental rifle range. Although the weather was not propitious, some excellent scores were run up. The company gold medal, won last year by Sergeant William G. Roth, was again won by him and now becomes his personal property. The second prize, a $3 hat, was won by Seargent John F. Kane.

Second Lieut. Maurice F. Barr, who has been in command of the company for the past 10 days, had everything arranged in excellent shape. Luncheon was served on the grounds to the 30 men present.

Qualification scores were made by Musician Rock and Privates Stern, Porter, Fox, Koehler, O. A. Blackstone, Molter, Megown, Zimmerman, Kawalkoski, Siemann, Whitesides and several others. The best scores made were as follows:

	200 yd.	500 yd.	600 yd.	Total.
Blackstone, Capt.	44	46	40	130
Roth, W. G., Sergt.	44	40	38	122
Cunningham, Corp.	38	44	40	120
Brewer, 1st Sergt.	40	40	40	120
McGregor, Corp.	41	37	30	108
Gibbons, Corp.	35	37	32	104
Butler, Corp.	37	38	26	102
Tevell, private.	38	38	27	103

The special guests of the company were Maj. Harry D. Fowler, Capt. and Quartermaster Murray G. Livingston, Capt. and Adjt. Alfred C. McCoy, Color Sergeant James G. Corbett and Quartermaster Sergeant William G. Ramsey.

PROF. LANGLEY'S AIRSHIP IS CAUGHT IN A STORM

Launching Was Abandoned, After Which the Houseboat Was Carried Away.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WIDEWATER, VA., Aug. 28.—Prof. Langley's airship houseboat had another dangerous experience in a Potomac gale this evening. Soon after the experts gave up hopes of launching the aerodrome today, a storm broke furiously. The houseboat slipped her moorings and travelled rapidly down stream for two miles, where her anchors caught in the mud. The small steam launch tender, the float and three towboats were lost.

Before the storm Prof. Langley said a test would be made Saturday if the weather permitted. The flying machine was so shaken up that the launching may be postponed for repairs. The machine was ready to fly this afternoon when the breeze stiffened to 16 miles an hour, and the experiment was abandoned.

MANY BRIDES FROM HERE.

Couples from Pittsburgh and Vicinity Go to Steubenville and Are Married.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The following couples from Pittsburgh and vicinity were granted licenses here within the past few days and married:

Lee Barky and Mrs. Margaret Edna Hughes of Pittsburgh; Frederick S. Welch and Ethel I. Patterson, Pittsburgh; John W. Overgraff and Lena L. Robinson of Bolivar, Pa.; James W. Donley and Lizzie Maude McFadden of Scottdale; Lawrence J. Bornesser and Mary L. McElroy of Sharpsburg; Charles McGee and Jennie Phillips of Burgettstown, R. Barthelmee and Julia Alice Sheehan of Pittsburgh; Andrew H. Simon and Anna Homan of Allegheny; Arnold Aufemann and Eliza Heller of Allegheny; Henry Hammond and Mary Ann Rogers of Independence; William H. Delaney and Mary Edith McBride of Rochester; Sanford Mann and Helen C. McClure of Allegheny; William A. Smith and Eva Beck of Pittsburgh; John O. Stewart and Carrie Honsinger of Butler; Andried A. Zufall and Lucy Evans of McKeesport.

CANADA'S GREAT FAIR.

Toronto, Ontario, Aug. 27 to Sept. 12.

The Pennsylvania Railroad will sell each Tuesday during September 15-day excursion tickets, Pittsburgh to Niagara Falls and return, at a rate of $7.45, and to Toronto and return at a rate of $8.90.

Trains leave Union station at 9 a. m. and 11 p. m., eastern standard time.

Pullman service on all through trains.

Last Opportunity to Visit the Seashore, Thursday, September 3d, Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Tickets good 16 days. Rate, $10 round trip; $2 additional for tickets permitting purchase of Pullman accommodations. Secure best space by early application at city ticket office, corner Fifth avenue and Wood street. Special trains leave Pittsburgh 8 a. m., 6:30 and 9 p. m., on above date.

Ashtabula Excursion Train Sunday Morning via Pennsylvania Lines.

Leave Pittsburgh Union station 9:05 a. m., Allegheny 9:12 a. m., city time. Round trip $2.50. Excursion tickets good to return Monday.

The Farmers Deposit Savings bank, corner Fifth avenue and Wood street, opens for business Saturday, August 29. Why not be one of its first depositors? Saturday until 9 p. m. 4 per cent interest paid.

DIED.

ATKINS—On Wednesday, August 26, 1903, at 14:45 p. m., ELIZA ANN, wife of Samuel Atkins, in her 85th year.

Funeral services at her late residence, in West Deer township, on Saturday, at 11 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

BOYLE—On Friday, August 28, 1903, at 3 o'clock p. m., MARY J. BOYLE, relict of H. M. Boyle.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

BRADFORD—On Friday, August 28, 1903, at 5:20 a. m., ROBERT ALEXANDER BRADFORD, husband of Nelle W. Bradford (nee Bradberry), in his 34th year.

Funeral services Sabbath evening, August 30, at 8 o'clock, at the residence of W. T. Bradberry, 360 California avenue, Allegheny. Interment private, Monday forenoon.

LONG—Suddenly, on Thursday, August 27, 1903, MARY A., wife of John R. Long, aged 48 years.

Funeral services at her late residence, Turtle Creek, Pa., on Sunday, August 30, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

MCKINNEY—On Thursday, August 27, 1903, at 8:15 a. m., HARVEY J., husband of Rebecca Tafel McKinney, in the 60th year of his age, at the family residence, Turtle Creek, Pa.

Funeral services at residence, Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment private at a later hour.

MCKINNON—Suddenly, on Thursday, August 27, 1903, at 1:30 p. m., MARGARET, young daughter of Lachlan McKinnon.

Funeral services at the family residence, 205 Collart square, Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

MORELAND—On Friday, August 28, 1903, at 11:30 a. m., at the family home, Fifth and South Negley avenues, East End, FANNIE O'HARA, wife of William F. Moreland and daughter of Frances A. and the late M. O'Hara.

Notice of funeral later.

NORMAN—On Friday, August 28, 1903, at 6:30 p. m., at the residence of her son, Henry W. Norman, 202 South Euclid avenue, East End, MRS. FANNIE NORMAN.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

ROSEBURG—At Topeka, Kan., Friday, August 28, at 4 o'clock A. m., MISS EMMA B. ROSEBURG, sister of William Roseburg and Mrs. Annie R. Herron.

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THE DEATH ROLL.

The Rev. Edwin S. Gallagher.

The Rev. Edwin S. Gallagher, a former well-known minister of the Presbyterian church in this vicinity, died Thursday night at the Samaritan hospital, Philadelphia, of shock following an operation for an internal trouble, from which he had suffered for some time. The Rev. Mr. Gallagher for the last two years was pastor of the Presbyterian church at Cape May, N. J., and since taking up his charge at that place became prominent in Presbyterian church affairs in the east. He was a son of Jonathan F. Gallagher and was born in Allegheny 49 years ago. He was educated at the Western University of Pennsylvania and studied theology at the Western Theological seminary, Allegheny, being graduated with the class of '80. His first charge was at Cold Bluff, Pa. From there he went to the Oakmont Presbyterian church, remaining there five years, when he accepted a call to the First Presbyterian church, Bellevue. In 1889 Mr. Gallagher married Miss Ida White of Allegheny, who, with two daughters, survives. He is also survived by his father and one brother, A. Y. Gallagher of Erie, Pa., and two sisters, Mrs. S. L. Evans and Miss Anna Gallagher of Allegheny.

Miss Emma B. Roseburg.

Miss Emma B. Roseburg, a member of one of Pittsburgh's best known families, died yesterday at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. R. Banks, in Topeka, Kan., after a short illness. Miss Roseburg was born in Pittsburgh and was a daughter of Samuel Roseburg, who for eight years was recorder of Allegheny county, and for a like number of years postmaster at Pittsburgh. Miss Roseburg went to Topeka about the time of the opening of the civil war and had resided in that city since. She was a sister of Mrs. Anna Herron of No. 644 Maryland avenue, East End, and of William Roseburg, vice president of the Bank of Pittsburgh, and also of Mrs. George A. Kelly, who died last summer. Miss Roseburg was a member of the Congregational church and a number of charitable and church societies in Topeka. Her remains will be interred at Topeka.

Mrs. Fannie Norman.

Mrs. Fannie Norman, aged 70, died at the home of her son, Henry W. Norman, No. 202 South Euclid avenue, East End, last evening. Death resulted from a fall Mrs. Norman sustained last Wednesday, in which she dislocated her right hip. Owing to her advanced age she was unable to combat against the complications that set in. Mrs. Norman was born in England, coming to this country and settling in Wilkesbarre, Pa., in her girlhood. Three years ago, after the death of her husband, she took up her home with her son, who is manager of the C. H. Rowe Dry Goods Company. A daughter, Mrs. W. H. Willeson of Perrysville avenue, Allegheny, is another of the family surviving. Funeral arrangements have been deferred, awaiting the arrival of Mr. Norman, who was in New York city at the time of his mother's death.

Robert Alexander Bradford.

Robert Alexander Bradford, aged 34 years, is dead at the residence of his father-in-law, William T. Bradberry, No. 360 California avenue, Allegheny, after a lingering illness. Mr. Alexander was born in Pomeroy, O., and was a descendant of William Bradford, one time governor of Plymouth colony (Massachusetts) from 1621 to 1657. For many years Mr. Bradford was engaged with the Nevin paint works, leaving it to join the Superior Manufacturing Company when he married Miss Nellie M. Bradberry about two and one-half years ago. Besides his widow Mr. Bradford is survived by his mother, three brothers and one sister. The funeral services will be held at the Bradberry residence Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. The interment will be private on Monday morning.

James Johnston.

James Johnston, 63 years old, father of Charles Johnston, driver at No. 3 police station, died last evening at his home in Mulberry alley, near Twenty-eighth street, of typhoid fever. Mr. Johnston for 38 years was an employe of the Alexander Black Coal Company, and at the time the brilliant pumping station was erected he hauled the greater part of the heavy machinery now in use at the station. Besides his son Charles, he is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Frank Squires of Pittsburgh and Mrs. Harry Hagler and Mrs. John Kearney of Millvale. Mr. Johnston was for many years a resident of the Twelfth ward.

Sarah F. Gardner.

Miss Sarah F. Gardner, who for 24 years represented the Woman's Union Missionary society in India, and who returned from Hindostan but a month ago, died yesterday in the Chisholm, New York, at the age of 54. Until 1895 the scene of her labors was Canrapore, in which year Miss Gardner was made superintendent of the Calcutta mission. Miss Gardner heeded the movement against infant marriages and succeeded in having that heathen marriage age raised to 12 years. Nearly all the books dealing with Christianity printed in native languages and now in circulation in India are the result of Miss Gardner's efforts.

Clement Reid.

Clement Reid, a young newspaper artist in this city, died yesterday morning of appendicitis at the Passavant hospital, after two operations had been performed in the hope of saving his life. Mr. Reid came to Pittsburgh recently from Memphis. He had been employed in a number of papers in this country and was considered a successful artist. He was a son of Morris Reid, a business man of Buffalo, N. Y. The family home is at Buffalo. Mr. Reid's father was in Pittsburgh visiting her son when he became ill. His remains will be taken to Lock Haven for interment tomorrow.

Frederick L. Olmstead.

Frederick L. Olmstead, the noted landscape architect, died yesterday at Waverly, Mass., aged 81 years. Mr. Olmstead was a native of Hartford, Conn. He was the architect of Central park, New York; of Prospect park, Brooklyn; Mount Royal, Montreal; the grounds of the Leland Stanford university, Palo Alto, Cal.; the capitol grounds, Washington, and the grounds of the Chicago World's Fair. He also served in advisory capacity both as an architect and commissioner, in many national projects.

William A. Seeley.

William A. Seeley, 28 years old, a well-known electric lineman, was killed by falling from a pole in Cleveland yesterday. He was a native of Cleveland and had resided there all his life. He was a brother of George Seeley of the photo-engraving department of The Gazette. He is survived by his widow, a 4-year-old child, his parents and two brothers, George and Charles, the latter of Cleveland.

Obituary Notes.

Joseph McKee of Franklin, is dead, aged 84 years.

William R. Mounts of near Amity, Pa., is dead, aged 80.

Charles Dresch, a former merchant of Sharon, Pa., is dead at Osgeeville, Pa., aged 36.

Capt. Barton, one of the last of the old-time lake captains, died at Ogdensburg, N. Y., aged 89.

Mrs. Mary J. Boyle, widow of H. M. Boyle, died yesterday at her home, No. 2435 Perrysville avenue, Allegheny.

Michael Carroll, 65 years old, for 25 years an employe of the National Tube Company at McKeesport, is dead at his home in that city. He is survived by his wife.

James B. Hamilton, 67 years old, is dead at his home, No. 21 Kingston block, Charles street, Allegheny. He was a native of Braddock and is survived by his wife, two sons and three daughters.

Word has been received in Pittsburgh of the death of Harry Alden, 71 years old, an old-time Pittsburgher and the friend of many Pittsburgh business and professional men, at his home in Boston, Mass., on Sunday. He is survived by one son.

Mrs. Agnes Bradford, aged 34 years, of No. 2360 California avenue, Allegheny, died yesterday morning at Dixmont. She was born in Pomeroy, O., and moved to Allegheny about 12 years ago. During which time he had been in the employ of T. H. Nevin & Company, makers of white lead. He is survived by a widow. His remains will likely be taken to his old home, where his mother and two brothers reside.

PROF. LANGLEY'S AIRSHIP IS CAUGHT IN A STORM

Launching Was Abandoned, After Which the Houseboat Was Carried Away.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WIDEWATER, VA., Aug. 28.—Prof. Langley's airship houseboat had another dangerous experience in a Potomac gale this evening. Soon after the experts gave up hopes of launching the aerodrome today, a storm broke furiously. The houseboat slipped her moorings and travelled rapidly down stream for two miles, where her anchors caught in the mud. The small steam launch tender, the float and three towboats were lost.

Before the storm Prof. Langley said a test would be made Saturday if the weather permitted. The flying machine was so shaken up that the launching may be postponed for repairs. The machine was ready to fly this afternoon when the breeze stiffened to 16 miles an hour, and the experiment was abandoned.

MANY BRIDES FROM HERE.

Couples from Pittsburgh and Vicinity Go to Steubenville and Are Married.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The following couples from Pittsburgh and vicinity were granted licenses here within the past few days and married:

Lee Barky and Mrs. Margaret Edna Hughes of Pittsburgh; Frederick S. Welch and Ethel I. Patterson, Pittsburgh; John W. Overgraff and Lena L. Robinson of Bolivar, Pa.; James W. Donley and Lizzie Maude McFadden of Scottdale; Lawrence J. Bornesser and Mary L. McElroy of Sharpsburg; Charles McGee and Jennie Phillips of Burgettstown, R. Barthelmee and Julia Alice Sheehan of Pittsburgh; Andrew H. Simon and Anna Homan of Allegheny; Arnold Aufemann and Eliza Heller of Allegheny; Henry Hammond and Mary Ann Rogers of Independence; William H. Delaney and Mary Edith McBride of Rochester; Sanford Mann and Helen C. McClure of Allegheny; William A. Smith and Eva Beck of Pittsburgh; John O. Stewart and Carrie Honsinger of Butler; Andried A. Zufall and Lucy Evans of McKeesport.

CANADA'S GREAT FAIR.

Toronto, Ontario, Aug. 27 to Sept. 12.

The Pennsylvania Railroad will sell each Tuesday during September 15-day excursion tickets, Pittsburgh to Niagara Falls and return, at a rate of $7.45, and to Toronto and return at a rate of $8.90.

Trains leave Union station at 9 a. m. and 11 p. m., eastern standard time.

Pullman service on all through trains.

Last Opportunity to Visit the Seashore, Thursday, September 3d, Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Tickets good 16 days. Rate, $10 round trip; $2 additional for tickets permitting purchase of Pullman accommodations. Secure best space by early application at city ticket office, corner Fifth avenue and Wood street. Special trains leave Pittsburgh 8 a. m., 6:30 and 9 p. m., on above date.

Ashtabula Excursion Train Sunday Morning via Pennsylvania Lines.

Leave Pittsburgh Union station 9:05 a. m., Allegheny 9:12 a. m., city time. Round trip $2.50. Excursion tickets good to return Monday.

The Farmers Deposit Savings bank, corner Fifth avenue and Wood street, opens for business Saturday, August 29. Why not be one of its first depositors? Saturday until 9 p. m. 4 per cent interest paid.

DIED.

ATKINS—On Wednesday, August 26, 1903, at 14:45 p. m., ELIZA ANN, wife of Samuel Atkins, in her 85th year.

Funeral services at her late residence, in West Deer township, on Saturday, at 11 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

BOYLE—On Friday, August 28, 1903, at 3 o'clock p. m., MARY J. BOYLE, relict of H. M. Boyle.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

BRADFORD—On Friday, August 28, 1903, at 5:20 a. m., ROBERT ALEXANDER BRADFORD, husband of Nelle W. Bradford (nee Bradberry), in his 34th year.

Funeral services Sabbath evening, August 30, at 8 o'clock, at the residence of W. T. Bradberry, 360 California avenue, Allegheny. Interment private, Monday forenoon.

LONG—Suddenly, on Thursday, August 27, 1903, MARY A., wife of John R. Long, aged 48 years.

Funeral services at her late residence, Turtle Creek, Pa., on Sunday, August 30, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

MCKINNEY—On Thursday, August 27, 1903, at 8:15 a. m., HARVEY J., husband of Rebecca Tafel McKinney, in the 60th year of his age, at the family residence, Turtle Creek, Pa.

Funeral services at residence, Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment private at a later hour.

MCKINNON—Suddenly, on Thursday, August 27, 1903, at 1:30 p. m., MARGARET, young daughter of Lachlan McKinnon.

Funeral services at the family residence, 205 Collart square, Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

MORELAND—On Friday, August 28, 1903, at 11:30 a. m., at the family home, Fifth and South Negley avenues, East End, FANNIE O'HARA, wife of William F. Moreland and daughter of Frances A. and the late M. O'Hara.

Notice of funeral later.

NORMAN—On Friday, August 28, 1903, at 6:30 p. m., at the residence of her son, Henry W. Norman, 202 South Euclid avenue, East End, MRS. FANNIE NORMAN.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

ROSEBURG—At Topeka, Kan., Friday, August 28, at 4 o'clock A. m., MISS EMMA B. ROSEBURG, sister of William Roseburg and Mrs. Annie R. Herron.

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OLYMPIA GOES AGROUND DURING WAR MANEUVERS

Admiral Dewey's Famous Flagship on the Rocks Off the Maine Coast.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PORTLAND, ME., Aug. 28.—An official message from the Olympia to the Kearsarge intercepted at the wireless telegraph station at Fort Preble and made public tonight, confirms the report of the grounding during the war maneuvers of Admiral Dewey's famous flagship Olympia. The message read:

"We are on the rocks. Double bottom leaking. Can get off without assistance."

At noon tomorrow the mimic war raged off this port since midnight Tuesday with all manner of maneuvers by the navy will come to an end, and the several thousand men hurried to the defense of the city will be withdrawn from the harbor defenses.

Today's movements consisted of a fierce engagement, during which a landing party of 1,800 men under Rear Admiral Coghlan captured all the stations and defenses at the Scape and Spurwin. The marines and jackies landed almost at dawn and were engaged until after noon when they returned to their fleet. Rear Admiral Coghlan believed he had achieved the grandest victory of the navy, but at 2:45 Lieut. Jordan, in command of the engineer corps at the Two Lights, was informed by telephone the umpires had decided that no landing was effected by the invaders, as the men and boats had been put out of action before the landing was attempted.

Therefore the capture of all the points on the Cape including the signal, searchlight and fire control stations at Two Lights, the defenses at Silver Springs and the searchlight at Pond Cove, was void, and they stand as if no attempt had been made at their capture.

MASKED MEN INVADE DEPOT AND RESTAURANT

Trainmen Beaten and Robbed and Railroad Property Stolen. Bandits Escape.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

MCFARLAND, Kan., Aug. 28.—Early this morning six masked men appeared at the Rock Island depot and started to enter the office door. Conductor Monnahan and Night Baggageman Charles Toler saw them and attempted to block the door, but the robbers forced an entrance and, after taking their money and watches, beat the railroad men into insensibility.

They then rifled the depot and going to the eating house held up and took all the valuables from a half dozen railroad employes. Passengers at the lunch counter scurried upstairs and blocked the entrance effectively. The bandits looted the eating house register and silverware. Then they marched and carried six of the Rock Island employes into a refrigerator car and disappeared.

Two hours after the robbers disappeared Sheriff Fray had organized a posse, released the prisoners from the car and started in pursuit of the bandits, who headed toward Topeka.

BURIED A FORTUNE; GOT $2.

Pitiful Remnant of Hoard Found by Bayonne Court Officer.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Two ancient silver dollars were all that Christopher Melando, a court officer of Bayonne, was able to find of a small barrel of gold and silver coins buried by him in Constable Hook, although he spent a good part of his vacation searching for the buried treasure.

If Mr. Meland had taken advantage of the Banking by Mail system of the Pittsburgh Bank for Savings of Pittsburgh, Pa., and placed his money with that old established institution, he would not only have been sure of its safety, but all the time it would have been on deposit it would have been earning him Four per cent compound interest. Should you contemplate hiding your savings, as Mr. Melando did, or have any money to invest, you ought to first write the bank above mentioned for a copy of their booklet No. 28, entitled "Banking by Mail," which will probably show you the folly of such antiquated methods of hoarding money.

Excursion to Cumberland and Return Sunday, August 30, Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Special trains will leave Pittsburgh station, corner Smithfield and Water streets, 7 a. m. Returning, leave Cumberland 6 p. m. Fare, $2, round trip.

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12½c Ribbed Vests	8c
15c Ribbed Vests	10c
12½c Fast Black Hose	10c
75c Madras Shirts	50c
35c Men's Summer Shirts	25c
35c Men's Summer Drawers	25c
9-4 Bleached Sheets	50c
Goods Pillow Cases	10c
White Spreads	80c
Extra size Spreads	$1.00
Yd. Wide Muslin	8c
9-4 Sheetings, per yd	17c
Huck Towels	12½c
Irish Linen Napkins, per doz.	$1.00
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DEATH IN WAKE OF HARD STORM

Woman Was Killed by Lightning and School House Struck.

BUILDINGS BLOWN DOWN

Workmen Badly Injured—Six Hundred Children Had Narrow Escape—Barnum and Bailey's Circus Almost Swamped. Live Wires Cause Trouble.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Aug. 28.—A cyclone passed over this section this afternoon. People were lifted off their feet and houses were moved off their foundations. A frame house belonging to Michael Williams, in the course of construction at Greenwood, a suburb, was toppled off its foundation. Samuel Eshliman, a carpenter, was caught beneath it and seriously hurt. Frank Woods, a painter, was hit by a brick flying through the air. Harry Slogenwhite, another painter, was standing on the ground and was caught in a whirlwind and hurled a distance of 30 feet.

The Fourth ward school house was struck by lightning and 600 children were thrown into consternation. The walls were damaged, but no one was injured. Lizzie Levowitz, a Slavish woman, was struck by lightning and instantly killed while gathering coal in a coal house at Leisenring. In New Haven, Peter Milliner, a negro, drove into a falling live wire and was knocked to the ground unconscious. One of his horses was instantly killed.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—A cloudburst descended here late last night and nearly swamped the Barnum & Bailey circus and the several thousand people who attended the performance. Some of the people had to walk over knee-deep in the water which collected around the tents. The damage at Graceland cemetery was fully $5,000. Fully $1,000 damage was done to the West Washington street bridge. Cascade park also suffered from the storm.

FREEDOM, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—A severe storm swept this district this afternoon and tonight, washing the street car tracks until traffic was practically obliterated for several hours. The wires between Freedom and Rochester are in bad shape. At Bridgewater the downfall approached a cloudburst, inundating the cellars of many of the residences.

VAST VOLUME OF LAVA FLOWS FROM VESUVIUS

Detonations Inside the Volcano Arouse Fears of More Violent Eruption.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NAPLES, Aug. 28.—The correspondent of the Associated Press has just returned from spending a night on Mt. Vesuvius, with the special permission of the authorities to pass the prescribed limits. The scene was of terrifying, but magnificent. Enormous masses of liquid fire flowed almost to the correspondent's feet, forming great mounds.

Occasionally a mass of burning material became detached from the pyramid and rolled down the side of the mountain, the fast cooling lava in its turn detaching other masses until the whole became stationary at the bottom. The main stream of molten lava flowed down the volcano until stopped by the mounds of old lava, when it divided and filled up the valleys, the old and new masses meeting with such force as to cause loud detonations, which shook the earth.

Today the eruption continues and the volume of lava is acquiring vast proportions. Detonations inside the volcano have caused the prediction that a more violent eruption may be anticipated.

With tremendous detonations, heard for miles around, a new fissure opened at 5 o'clock this afternoon in the cone of Vesuvius, and from the new gap came pouring out tons of lava, which flowed in the direction of the village of Ottejano. The stream, however, encountered the mound of lava from the previous eruption and has done no harm.

KAISER HAS PORTRAITS OF ROOSEVELT STRUCK OFF

BERLIN, Aug. 28.—Emperor William met Hans Fechner, the court portrait painter, some days ago and asked him to make a lithograph drawing of President Roosevelt. Fechner's lithograph of the monarch having been most widely circulated in Germany. Fechner did so and showed the result to the emperor, who had two copies struck off. One of these will be sent to Mr. Roosevelt. The emperor kept the other one for himself.

County Clerk Indicted.

DENVER, COL., Aug. 28.—Twenty-one indictments against City and County Clerk Aichele were reported by the grand jury today. The principal charges relate to the destruction of public records and an alleged shortage of $6,000 in the county clerk's office.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

WASHINGTON, PA.—Constable Joseph Bathart, charged with the killing of Joseph Debort several weeks ago, was acquitted.

CUMBERLAND, MD.—A marriage license was issued here to Harry Blaine Faith of Scottdale, Pa., and Elizabeth Adams of Woodvale, Pa.

SHARON, PA.—Lightning struck the barn of B. D. Morrison in Hickory township and burned it to the ground. Three horses were burned to death.

WASHINGTON, PA.—W. J. Cook was given a hearing today before a local justice of the peace on a charge of practicing dentistry illegally and held under $200 for court.

SHARON, PA.—As the result of being struck on the head with a fence board in a row at Clark's bridge last Saturday night, Ted Parker, 55 years old, died in the hospital.

WASHINGTON, PA.—On account of the delay in letting the contracts for the Wabash road in Greene county, the celebration at Waynesburg has been indefinitely postponed.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—Postmaster John A. McKee has received notice from Washington to establish another rural mail delivery route from this place eastward to serve Shenango township.

GREENSBURG, PA.—John F. Steele has filed an action of trespass against Councilman John M. Hawk and Street Commissioner S. M. Fry to recover $600 damages for the destruction of his store in the flood of July 5.

BUTLER, PA.—A reunion of the descendants of George Morris, one of the earliest settlers, was held here. The Rev. W. E. McNeal addressed the gathering. Two hundred members of the family and friends were present.

BUTLER, PA.—The sixth annual reunion of the White Oak Springs United Presbyterian church was held in the church grove west of Butler. Judge James M. Galbreath and State Senator Andrew Williams were the speakers of the day.

GREENSBURG, PA.—While watching a baseball game at Pricedale, Peter Steinmiller of Belle Vernon had four fingers on his right hand blown off. In enthusing over a play made by a Pricedale player he threw a dynamite cap against a fence.

FREEDOM, PA.—Daniel D. Smith, a Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago conductor, was instantly killed while riding on the pilot of a shifter going through Freedom. The pilot broke off and Smith was crushed under the engine. He was 40 years old.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—The final chapter in the fistic encounter between the Rev. S. A. Smith of the Croton Avenue Methodist church and Dr. R. G. Hoak, a prominent member of the congregation, occurred when Mail Carrier Charles Tidball withdrew the assault and battery charges he made against George Williams.

WASHINGTON, PA.—The annual convention of the school directors of Washington county closed. The following officers were elected: President, Alexander Hart of Washington; vice president, J. H. Taylor of Washington; secretary, R. W. Mason, Washington, and treasurer, Murray A. Cooper of Washington.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—The annual reunion of the descendants of William Locke, of the Revolutionary troops from Pennsylvania, was held here when several scores of Lockes attended. The annual election of officers resulted as follows: President, James P. Locke of Grove City; secretary, the Rev. A. C. Locke of Edinburg; treasurer, R. M. Locke of Butler.

IRWIN, PA.—The James Davidson association held its third annual reunion. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. T. C. Patterson of Mt. Pleasant; vice president, T. N. Springer of Ruffsdale; secretary and treasurer, C. H. Trixal of Belle Vernon; historian, Mrs. W. N. Jones of Morgantown, W. Va. The next reunion will be held in Scottdale in August, 1904.

ESTIMATES TO BE READY IN A WEEK

Director Bigelow and His Engineers Begin Work on Filtration Plans.

SOUTH SIDE STILL IN THE AIR

Figures Will Not Include Cost of New Mains, but Only Delivery Across Monongahela—Bigelow Says Mechanical Plants—Bond Issue May Be Delayed.

Twelve new cases of typhoid fever were reported to the Pittsburgh bureau of health yesterday.

Director E. M. Bigelow locked himself in his private office yesterday afternoon with Engineer Morris Knowles and Supt. A. B. Shepherd and started to work on the preparation of filtration estimates for councils. All callers were denied admission while the three officials were at work. Director Bigelow stated that the work would be resumed today and would be continued until completed. He said the estimates would be ready for councils in about a week.

They will be presented to the special filtration committee which will report the director's estimates to common council at the first regular meeting in September. Director Bigelow stated that there was a great deal of work in preparing estimates. He said all the plans prepared by his predecessor, Dr. J. Guy McCandless, would be gone over and detailed estimates upon every portion of the proposed filtration plan.

The director was asked what estimates he would furnish in regard to the South Side, whether they would include the cost of new mains for the South Side or the purchase of the plant of the Monongahela Water Company. He said his estimates would not include either proposition, that they would simply provide for the delivery of filtered water to the South Side and that further steps would be left to councils.

Bigelow Visited Mechanical Plants.

Director Bigelow stated that while his estimates would deal only with sand filtration, he had also visited mechanical plants while on his recent trips. He inspected the alum-water plant at Little Falls, N. J., which the mechanical filter advocates have been holding up as a model. He visited the filter plants at Albany and Auburn, N. Y., the plant at Lawrence, Mass., the plants at Washington, D. C., and those in the vicinity of Philadelphia.

The director's visit to the mechanical plants evidently did not convert him to that system, for immediately thereafter he came out strongly for sand filtration.

There is some doubt when the bond issue for filtration will be submitted to the people. Director Bigelow has stated that the matter might not be submitted to the people until the February election, and it is believed that it is the intention of the director to ask for a bond issue for filtration and the removal of the Fifth avenue hump at the same time.

The filtration advocates, however, will not permit the delay of filtration for the hump and will insist upon the matter being voted upon not later than the November election and probably at an earlier date, that the hump proposition may be divorced from politics.

Hays Favors Separate Votes.

Mayor William B. Hays is in favor of voting upon filtration and the hump separately, as he believes a bond issue for filtration would be defeated if attached to the hump proposition.

Director Bigelow said yesterday: "I would be in favor of water meters whether we were to have filtration or no filtration." He said that the installation of water meters would reduce the water rents to the domestic consumer, although it might increase the rents of the larger consumers.

DEWEY WILL COMMAND.

Plans Completed for Winter Naval Maneuvers Off Culebra Island.

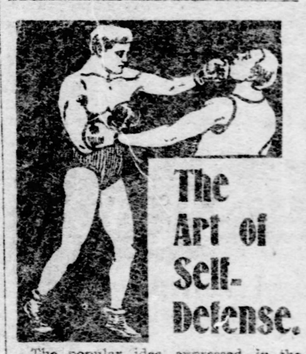
WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Plans are perfected for the winter naval maneuvers under Admiral Dewey off Culebra in the latter part of January. The squadron will rendezvous at Hampton Roads on November 30. The European squadron will rendezvous at St. Vincent, Cape Verde Islands, and will leave there about the tenth of December for the Windward islands. The South Atlantic squadron will assemble at Para, where it will coal and sail for Trinidad, reaching Culebra by January 8. An expeditionary force of 400 marines, taken from the Dixie, completely equipped for detached service in the face of the enemy, will establish a base on the coast of Porto Rico and engage in operations leading up to some adequate objective. The expedition will occupy from eight to 15 days. During the time between February 6 to February 15, the fleet will be maneuvered at sea, arriving at Guantanamo by February 16.

MURDERED IN CUBA.

An American Citizen Falls Victim to Band of Robbers.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Minister Squiers at Havana has informed the state department of the murder of Ira C. Bradley, near Holquin, Cuba, on June 9. Bradley was about 40 years old and a resident of California, and had been trying to establish in Cuba an American settlement known as "Bradley's colony."

The only motive ascribed for the murder was robbery, although Bradley was mutilated and badly beaten. The dispatch says that the country in the vicinity is infested by a gang of murderers and robbers.



The Art of Self-Defense.

The popular idea expressed in the phrase, "the art of self-defense," shows the opinion that the chief enemies a man has to defend himself from are visible and external. But the real danger of every man is from minute and often invisible foes. In the air we breathe and the water we drink are countless minute organisms leagued against the health of the body.

The one defense against these enemies is to keep the blood pure. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery thoroughly purifies the blood, removing poisonous substances and accretions. When the blood is pure there is no harborage for the germs of disease which find a lodging only when the blood is impure and corrupt.

"I consider your 'Golden Medical Discovery' one of the best medicines on the face of the earth," writes Mr. Wm. Plester, of Redoes, Montgomery Co., Iowa. "While in the southwest, three years ago, I got poisoned with poison ivy. The poison settled in my blood and the horrors I suffered cannot be told in words. I thought I would go crazy. I tried different kinds of medicine, tried different doctors, but all the relief they could give me was to make my pocket-book lighter. I then began taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Took four bottles without relief. Kept taking it. I took in all ten bottles and got entirely cured."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation.

MILKMAN GIVES COL. ASTOR A LIFT

Breaking Down of Auto Transforms Millionaire Into Humble Pedestrian.

COUNTRYMAN EARNS $5 NOTE

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Aug. 28.—If the friends of Col. John Jacob Astor and his companion, Frederick Jones, could have seen him on the tail board of a milk wagon bumping over the country roads between this city and Guilford, it would have created a sensation.

Col. Astor conceived the idea of establishing a new record for automobiles between New York and Newport. With Mr. Jones he started from the Century club in New York in Col. Astor's French touring car.

The machine was on the road to Guilford, and had covered exactly 125 miles when an explosion occurred and the machine stopped. The record breakers were stalled in the Connecticut woods with night coming on and the nearest village several miles away. Col. Astor proposed to Mr. Jones that they walk, and the pair had started when Ebenezer Griswold came along with his milk wagon. He was hailed by Col. Astor with a request for a ride.

"Well," said Mr. Griswold, scratching his head, "I be late for supper an' I hain't much sympathy with you fellers in yer red devils, but I reckon I kin take yer down to Guilford. Move them cans around a little and hop in."

In this fashion they made their entry into Guilford. Col. Astor's yacht Nourmahal appeared off Faulkner's island this morning in response to telegraphic orders and the gasoline automobilists sailed away for Newport. Mr. Griswold told his friends that he received $5 for his services and was told to keep still about it.

FESTIVITIES CUT SHORT.

Disastrous Railway Accident Interrupts Honors to King and Queen of Italy.

ROME, Aug. 28.—A disastrous railway accident has cut short the festivities and demonstrations in honor of the king and queen at Udine, the chief town on the eastern frontier, 60 miles from Venice, where the sovereigns had gone to view the grand army maneuvers. A train overflowing with soldiers collided with a freight train. Fifteen soldiers and one captain were killed and over 80 injured, 12 dangerously so. The colonel in command of the soldiers was among the injured.

Terror among those who escaped injury was increased when the trains took fire a few minutes after the collision. Fortunately the flames were immediately extinguished. King Victor Emmanuel visited the hospital in person later to see the victims of the accident.

Later it was announced that the dead numbered 20 and the wounded 80, including six officers. A captain who was killed had his head cut off and an engine driver was burned alive. Both engines were entirely destroyed, and several of the cars were crushed into splinters.

Butler Paper Changes Hands.

BUTLER, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Eli G. Robinson, for 20 years part owner of the Butler Eagle, has disposed of his controlling interest to Levi M. Wise. [illegible] Fitzgerald succeeds to the editorship.

DEATH ON STEAMER

Two Engineers and Five Stokers Fatally Scalded on North German Lloyd Line.

BREMEN, Aug. 28.—The North German Lloyd steamer Necker, bound for Baltimore, while off Terschelling island, in the North sea, yesterday burst her main steam supply pipes, which scalded the third and fourth engineers and seven stokers. The vessel is returning here for repairs.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—According to a dispatch received today at the offices of the North German Lloyd company in New York, the two engineers referred to in the foregoing dispatch and five out of the seven stokers scalded died from their injuries.

RUSSIA ASKS TO DEFER VENEZUELA HEARING

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 28.—In consequence of the inability of Sir Landon Ross, minister at Paris, and Professor Matzen of the Copenhagen university, to serve as arbitrators at The Hague in the claims of the allied powers for preferential treatment in the settlement with Venezuela the foreign office has requested the postponement of the date, which was September 1, of the first meeting of the tribunal, until other arbitrators are secured.

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Cough, loss of flesh, pain in the sides, frothy or yellow expectoration, shortness of breath, depressed spirits, pain under shoulder blades, night sweats, all forerunners of consumption, are quickly suppressed by the inhalations and special medication of Doctor Tucker's new method.

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Discharging ears, dullness of hearing, head noises, dry, scaly, itchy ears, cracking sounds when blowing nose, earache, yield immediately to the soothing local applications which dissolve the adhesions in the eustachian tubes and remove and cure every symptom of disease.

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We are ready to show the new

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At 1.50 we offer you choice today from boys' serge sailor suits in all shades, as well as stylish Russian blouse suits, neatly trimmed with braid and embroidered; the trousers all nicely lined—suits which ordinarily would have to be sold for $2.50 and $3.

At 2.00 we offer you choice today from two counters of boys' all-wool double-breasted and Norfolk suits, in dark grays and browns, also plain colors, all sizes up to 16—suits that will more than compare favorably with any offered elsewhere for $3.

At 3.90 you can take your choice today from a splendid showing of boys' nobby dress suits, made of blue and black thibets, clay worsteds and cheviots, in double-breasted, single-breasted and 3-piece styles, also mixed materials in novelty suits—also boys' fine English covert cloth medium weight top coats and novelty coats, also blue cheviot and serge regulation reefers—lined throughout with serge—garments that will sell later on for ¼ more money.

Boys' knee pants special—several hundred pairs, made of extra good wearing cheviots and cassimeres, also soft corduroys, all colors—instead of 50c, we make the price today only **25c**

At 5.00 you can take your choice from the grandest aggregation of boys' suits ever shown anywhere at this price. Almost every style that is on the new Fall fashion plates is represented in this assortment—made of superior all-wool black thibets, clay worsteds and fancy cheviots, every suit serge lined, hand tailored and with double stayed seams—all sizes 2½ to 16—also boys' fine silk lined reefers at 5.00.

At 7.50 and up to 15.00 you can choose from the best boys' clothing turned out by the best makers of strictly high-grade juvenile apparel—a number of the suits imported from abroad. The boy or young man going away to college will be delighted with these garments.

At 16.50 and up to 25.00 we offer the celebrated "Smartsag" young men's clothing—garments that are on a par with those turned out by merchant tailors at $30 and $40. The most exacting young dressers, who insist on absolute perfection in their fall attire can find no fault with these swellest of swell suits. Suppose you come in and try on some of them today.

Our special make boys' knee pants—do away with mending and patching, made of strictly all-wool double and twist cheviot, with double cloth seat and knees, and double stitched seams—price, pair, **44c**

For girls' school wear

Girls' school dresses—made of fine plaid materials, in number of color combinations, large collar trimmed with washable braid, sleeves and belt trimmed in various styles. Neat and serviceable dresses that are worth every cent of $1.50, we offer them during this sale for **98c**

Girls' school dresses—made of fine cashmere and serge, neatly trimmed with lace, ribbon, etc., extra full skirt with deep hem, lined throughout, would be good value at $2, sale price today **1.69**

Girls' school dresses—made of all-wool materials in novelties, mixtures, fancy checks and stripes, trimmed with lace and braid, also plain color materials; special price today **1.98**

Children's school shoes

Our "kast-iron" brand shoes for big and little boys are so designated because of their great wear-resisting qualities. We have them in genuine box, velour and rex calf, machine and Goodyear welt sewed, with solid oak soles, calf and sole leather tips. Fit your boy out in these shoes and you'll be surprised how much longer they'll wear than shoes offered elsewhere for more money. Prices are **1.25, 1.50 @ 2.00**

Girls' school shoes—made to withstand plenty of wear, but NOT at the sacrifice of style or comfort—in box calf and vici kid, with kid and patent leather tips, low and spring heels, light and heavy oak soles—much better than usually offered at **1.00, 1.25 @ 1.50**

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EVER hear the click of the clock shortly before the hammer struck the gong? This announcement is the "click" of this half-off-the-marked-price clothing sale. It's a warning that this season-end clearance is in its final stages—that shortly it will pass into history. The assortments are fast becoming impaired, sizes are missing here and there—some lines have disappeared entirely—but, so great are the requirements of the vast clothing trade that centers here, that our stocks, depleted as they are, still represent (at a rough estimate) 4,500 suits, overcoats and trousers. There's every chance, in a hundred, therefore, but that you can still make a pleasing selection and get an absolutely perfect fit. But each day—each hour—increases the chance of YOUR size being sold out. So, common prudence dictates that you take quick action. TODAY is the time to come in—Monday may be too late. Don't forget that this "½-off" offer is all-inclusive, embracing our entire stock—medium weights, just right for fall, as well as light weights—blues, blacks and fancy dark mixtures as well as the strictly summer fabrics. Select any garment you please and pay the salesman only half the price marked on the ticket.

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Trains leave and arrive Eastern Standard Time.

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FOR PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE, WASHINGTON, ATLANTIC CITY, ETC.

TRAINS.	LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Chicago Limited	7:00 a. m.	4:30 p. m.
Pittsburgh and New York Limited	9:00 a. m.	5:45 p. m.
Pittsburgh Express	11:00 a. m.	7:40 p. m.
New York Express	12:01 p. m.	8:00 p. m.
Atlantic City Express	3:35 p. m.	12:30 a. m.
Mail Express	4:00 p. m.	1:05 a. m.
Philadelphia Express	5:40 p. m.	2:30 a. m.
Day Express	8:00 p. m.	5:30 a. m.
Fast Line	9:00 p. m.	6:30 a. m.
Harrisburg Express	11:50 p. m.	7:40 a. m.
Pittsburgh and New York Limited	12:01 night	9:00 a. m.
Pittsburgh Express, Daily	1:00 a. m.	10:30 a. m.
Day Express	8:00 a. m.	5:30 p. m.
Johnstown Express	8:00 a. m.	4:30 p. m.
Derry Express	4:00 p. m.	10:30 a. m.
Atlantic City Express	8:00 p. m.	8:00 a. m.
Sunday Limited	8:00 p. m.	8:00 a. m.
Sunday Express	8:00 a. m.	5:30 p. m.

FOR WASHINGTON, D. C.

Washington Express	7:00 a. m.	11:50 a. m.
Washington Express	11:00 a. m.	4:30 p. m.
Washington Express	4:00 p. m.	8:00 p. m.
Washington Express	8:00 p. m.	12:01 night
Washington Express	11:50 p. m.	4:30 a. m.

FOR BALTIMORE.

Express	7:00 a. m.	11:50 a. m.
Express	11:00 a. m.	4:30 p. m.
Express	4:00 p. m.	8:00 p. m.
Express	8:00 p. m.	12:01 night
Express	11:50 p. m.	4:30 a. m.

FOR CHICAGO AND THE WEST.

Chicago Limited	7:00 a. m.	4:30 p. m.
Pittsburgh and Chicago Limited	9:00 a. m.	5:45 p. m.
Chicago Express	11:00 a. m.	7:40 p. m.
Chicago Limited	8:00 p. m.	7:40 a. m.

(Leave P. & A. for Station, Allegheny.)

Butler Express	7:30 a. m.	9:40 a. m.
Butler Express	4:00 p. m.	6:15 p. m.
Butler, Clover Leaf Express	8:00 a. m.	9:40 a. m.
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Leechburg Express	8:00 a. m.	9:40 a. m.
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Apollo, Clarion, Brookville	8:00 a. m.	9:40 a. m.
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Butler	8:00 p. m.	9:40 a. m.
Kittanning, New Castle and Butler	8:00 a. m.	9:40 a. m.
Kittanning	4:00 p. m.	6:15 p. m.
Butler	8:00 p. m.	9:40 a. m.
Ellwood, New Castle and Butler	8:00 a. m.	9:40 a. m.
Foxburg	4:00 p. m.	6:15 p. m.
Butler	8:00 p. m.	9:40 a. m.

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.

PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE R. R.

CLEVELAND SHORT LINE.

Schedule in effect June 14, 1903.

LINES EAST	Depart.	Arrive.
Cleveland Express	6:00 a. m.	10:20 a. m.
Cleveland & Buffalo Express	8:00 a. m.	12:30 p. m.
Cleveland & Buffalo Express	12:01 p. m.	4:30 p. m.
Cleveland & Buffalo Express	4:00 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
Cleveland & Buffalo Express	8:00 p. m.	12:30 a. m.
Cleveland & Chicago Express	12:01 night	4:30 a. m.
Akron Express	8:00 a. m.	12:30 p. m.
Akron Express	4:00 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
Akron Express	8:00 p. m.	12:30 a. m.
Youngstown Express	8:00 a. m.	12:30 p. m.
Youngstown Express	4:00 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
Youngstown Express	8:00 p. m.	12:30 a. m.
Beaver Falls Express	8:00 a. m.	12:30 p. m.
Beaver Falls Express	4:00 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
Beaver Falls Express	8:00 p. m.	12:30 a. m.
West Pittsburgh Express	8:00 a. m.	12:30 p. m.
West Pittsburgh Express	4:00 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
Beaver Falls Express	8:00 p. m.	12:30 a. m.
New Castle Express	8:00 a. m.	12:30 p. m.
New Castle Express	4:00 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
Slippery Valley Express	8:00 p. m.	12:30 a. m.

LINES WEST	Depart.	Arrive.
Fayette City Express	8:00 a. m.	12:30 p. m.
Fayette City & N. Haven Express	4:00 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
McKeesport & Fayette City	8:00 p. m.	12:30 a. m.
Fayette City & New Haven Express	8:00 p. m.	12:30 a. m.
Fayette City Express	11:50 p. m.	4:30 a. m.

P. C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Sewickley and Bellevue, at 6:00, 7:30, 9:00, 10:00, 11:00 a. m., 12:01, 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, 4:00, 5:00, 6:00, 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00, 11:00 p. m., 12:01 night.

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BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

Eastern Standard Time.

LINES EAST	Depart.	Arrive.
Cumberland Express	6:00 a. m.	9:20 a. m.
Cumberland & Accom.	7:00 a. m.	12:40 p. m.
Connellsv. & Accom.	9:00 a. m.	2:40 p. m.
Cumb., Uniontn & Fairm'nt	9:00 a. m.	2:40 p. m.
Cumb., Uniontn & Fairm'nt	4:00 p. m.	7:40 p. m.
Cumb. Express	4:00 p. m.	7:40 p. m.
Cumb., Wash. & Accom.	4:00 p. m.	7:40 p. m.
Cumb. Express, Dy. to Connellsv.	7:30 p. m.	12:01 night
Connellsville Accom.	4:00 p. m.	7:40 p. m.
Connellsville Accom.	11:50 p. m.	4:30 a. m.
Washington Express	8:00 a. m.	12:01 night
Washington Express	4:00 p. m.	7:40 p. m.
Washington Express	11:50 p. m.	4:30 a. m.
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	8:00 a. m.	12:40 p. m.
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	4:00 p. m.	7:40 p. m.
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	11:50 p. m.	4:30 a. m.
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling	8:00 a. m.	12:01 night
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling	4:00 p. m.	7:40 p. m.
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling	11:50 p. m.	4:30 a. m.
Cin., Chi. & St. L. Exp.	8:00 a. m.	12:01 night
Cin. & Chi. Express	11:50 p. m.	4:30 a. m.

LINES WEST VIA KENOVA.		
Cinn., Ironton & Portsmouth	8:00 a. m.	12:01 night
Cinn., Ironton & Portsmouth	11:50 p. m.	4:30 a. m.
Chicago and Cleveland	8:00 a. m.	12:01 night
Chicago Limited	11:50 p. m.	7:40 a. m.

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Ellwood, New Castle and Butler	8:00 a. m.	9:40 a. m.
Foxburg	4:00 p. m.	6:15 p. m.
Butler	8:00 p. m.	9:40 a. m.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

Pittsburgh	4	St. Louis	1
New York	12	Boston	6
Cincinnati	1	Chicago	3
Philadelphia	Rain		Brooklyn

CARDINALS ARE BEATEN BY PIRATES ON A HEAVY FIELD

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

New York	Rain	Washington
St. Louis	Rain	Cleveland
Detroit	Rain	Chicago
Boston	Rain	Philadelphia

CHAMPIONS ARE BETTER MUDDERS

Cardinals Drop Game on Field That Is Heavy and Abounds in Miniature Lakes.

WAGNER THROWS HIS BAT

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	73	36	.670	Brooklyn	54	55	.495
New York	67	46	.593	Boston	49	61	.450
Chicago	65	46	.586	St. Louis	38	74	.339
Cincinnati	60	49	.550	Philadelphia	35	68	.327

GAMES TODAY.

St. Louis at Exposition Park (2 games).
Philadelphia at New York.
Cincinnati at Chicago.
Boston at Brooklyn.

Possessing the ability to flounder around on a very muddy, and at some places lake-like field, better than their opponents and with a fine exhibition of consecutive batting on Pitcher McFarland, got the champions their game from the St. Louis Cardinals yesterday afternoon at Exposition park, 4 to 1.

It was anything but a propitious day for baseball. The field was heavy and out in the outfield pools of water were of such sizes that they looked like miniature lakes, and to still make the aspect more gloomy Old Sol would smile on the field for a few seconds at a time and then hide away.

Rain was falling when it was time to begin the first game and Secretary Loske announced to the crowds at the gates that no game would be played, but the fans were so anxious to get in that they replied they were willing to take a chance. Capt. Clarke did not want to play, but the rain ceased and at 2:35 the game began. At the close of the eighth inning Umpire Emslie announced that owing to the bad condition of the field, but one game would be played, but there would be a double-header the next day.

Despite the unfavorable weather conditions 2,292 of the faithful traveled to the park and witnessed a contest between Phillippe and McFarland. Neither pitcher was given any fielding, there being no opportunities, as the drives went so fast and away from the fielders that there was no chance to get them, and those that were hit up went straight to a fielder.

The only opportunity the crowd had to become interested was at a play by Wagner. In throwing a bat at the legs of McFarland, the throw was an intentional one, and Hans did not incur the displeasure of the crowd or the umpire, although McFarland said some words that were not elegant. In the sixth inning Wagner had a fly to second base, and as he was going down to first he threw his bat to the ground, evidently in disgust. It rolled or to the direction of McFarland and gave him a fair lick on the shins. McFarland sputtered for some time about it, but Wagner did not say one word in reply. In the eighth Wagner came to bat and McFarland, who was on the big Dutchman's left in front of the plate for him to soak him with the ball. A single put him on first and he immediately began to play off. Suddenly McFarland flopped the ball over to the first and Wagner, who could not get back, started for second. He was chased up and down, finally being caught by Brain, McFarland, Farrell and the other players in the infield directed some funny sayings towards Wagner as a consequence.

The Pirates got after McFarland in the third inning for three runs. Phelps tried to dump the ball and was nailed to left. Phillippe dropped a single in the same field and Beaumont bunted towards first and beat the ball to the bag, filling the bases. On Clarke's high fly to left Phelps scored and all the others moved up a base each. Leach cleared the sacks with a fine drive to left. He was run down between second and third on Wagner's fly, the latter getting to second on the play. Bransfield sent Wagner home with a single to right.

Farrell singled in the eighth and scored on Beaumont's overthrow to third in an effort to catch him on Dunleavy's single. Dunleavy reached third and these two were the only Cardinals who reached that station during the game on the throw. The score:

Pittsburgh	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Beau't, m.	1	1	2	0	1	Farrell, 2	1	1	8	3	0
Clarke, l.	0	1	0	2	0	Dun'vy, 2	0	1	1	0	0
Leach, 3	0	1	0	6	0	Smoot, m	0	2	3	1	0
Wagner, s	1	1	2	3	0	Burke, 3	0	0	1	2	0
Br'field, l	0	1	1	2	0	Hackett, l	0	0	0	1	0
Ritchey, 2	0	0	3	2	0	Brain, s	0	1	3	2	0
Sebring, r	0	2	1	0	0	Barclay, l	0	0	2	0	0
Phelps, c	0	1	1	7	0	Farrell, c	0	0	2	4	0
Phi'ppe, p	1	2	0	1	0	McF'd, p	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	4	10	27	12	1	Totals	1	8	24	12	0

Pittsburgh	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	—4
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—1

Stolen bases—Leach. Double plays—McFarland, Farrell and Hackett; Brain, Farrell and Hackett. First base on balls—Off McFarland 3 (Ritchey). Struck out—By Phillippe 3 (Farrell, Dunleavy, Brain, Barclay, McFarland); by McFarland 3 (Clarke, Bransfield, Phelps). Wild pitch—McFarland. Time—1:35. Umpire—Emslie.

FIGHT WITH HURST.

Gilbert Throws Ball at Sir Tim and Escapes With His Life.

BOSTON, Aug. 28.—Many wild throws gave New York today's game. Gilbert tried to hit Umpire Hurst with the ball, and they nearly came to blows. Gilbert was put out of the game. The crowd pursued the New Yorks in a threatening manner after the game. Score:

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	N. York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Dexter, m.	1	1	2	0	0	Browne, r.	2	0	1	0	0
Tenney, l.	1	1	2	2	0	Bres'an, m.	3	2	1	0	0
Cooley, l.	1	1	1	1	0	McGann, l.	1	0	8	1	0
Stanley, r.	2	2	2	0	0	Merkle, l.	1	2	1	0	0
Moran, c.	1	2	3	3	0	W. Hal'n, l.	1	1	1	0	0
Abbatichio,	2	0	1	2	0	Bowerman,	0	0	0	0	0
Grem'r,	3	0	2	1	1	Lauder, s.	1	1	2	6	1
Aubrey, s.	0	1	3	2	1	Gilbert, 2.	0	0	3	3	0
Malarkey, p	0	0	1	6	2	McGraw, 2.	0	0	0	2	0
*Carney	0	0	0	0	0	Warner, c.	1	1	7	1	0
						Math'n, p.	0	1	1	1	0
Totals	6	10	27	24	6	Totals	12	11	27	10	1

*Batted for Malarkey in the ninth.

Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—6
New York	5	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	3	—12

Two-base hits—Moran, Greminger. Three-base hit—Merkle. Stolen bases—Aubrey, Cooley, Gilbert, Warner. Double plays—Aubrey, Abbatichio and Tenney; Greminger and Moran; Moran and Abbatichio. First base on balls—Off Malarkey 5, off Mathewson 4. Hit by pitcher—By Malarkey 1, by Mathewson 1. Struck out—By Malarkey 1, by Mathewson 11. Wild pitch—Mathewson. Time—1:55. Umpires—Hurst and Moran. Attendance—2,036.

HAHN IS LUCKY.

Chicago Hits Him, but Can't Bunch Them and Reds Win Game.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 28.—Cincinnati took the last game from Chicago today by timely hitting. Hahn was hit harder than both of the visiting pitchers, but was at his best with men on bases. Chance took Weimer out in the seventh after one run had been scored, and then the Cincinnatis landed on Taylor and won the game. Attendance 1,800. Score:

Cincinnati	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Kelley, l.	0	0	1	0	0	Slagle, l.	1	3	0	0	0
Seym'r, m.	1	1	3	0	0	Williams, s.	0	2	2	3	0
Dolan, r.	0	1	1	0	0	Chance, l.	1	2	1	0	0
Beckley, 1.	0	2	10	1	0	Jones, m.	0	1	2	0	0
Kelly, 1.	0	1	2	0	0	Tinker, 2.	0	2	1	5	0
Daly, 2.	0	0	1	1	0	King, c.	0	1	3	1	0
Corcran, s.	0	2	1	2	0	Evers, 2.	0	0	2	1	0
Fultz, 2.	0	0	2	3	0	Reidy, r.	0	0	2	0	0
Hahn, p.	0	0	0	0	0	Weimer, p.	0	0	0	1	0
						Taylor, p.	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	1	5	27	12	0	Totals	3	11	24	11	0

Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	—5
Chicago	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3

Two-base hits—Chance, Kling, Steinfeldt, Beckley, Slagle. Three-base hits—Slagle 2. Stolen bases—Chance, Jones. Double play—Beckley and Peitz; Williams and Chance. First base on balls—Off Weimer 3, off Taylor 2, off Hahn 3. Sacrifice hits—Kling, Strick out—By Hahn 4, by Weimer 2, by Taylor 1. Left on bases—Cincinnati 4, Chicago 8. Wild pitch—Taylor. Time—1:39. Umpire—Johnstone.

The Farmers Deposit Savings bank, corner Fifth avenue and Wood street, opens for business Saturday, August 29. May not be one of its first depositors? Saturday until 9 p. m. 4 per cent interest paid.

For coach, driving, saddle horses, or ponies, write Powell Bros., Shadeland, Pa.

FUTURITY SPOILED BY THE ELEMENTS

Sheepshead Bay in Miserable Condition and Crack Horses May Be Withdrawn.

WILL BE A SLIDING AFFAIR

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—By the rain of today the Futurity of tomorrow has been spoiled. The continuous storm has put the track in such a bad condition that several of the very best horses will not be sent to the post. Hamburg Belle is a doubtful starter, and this means that one of the stars will be absent.

Others will follow that precedent without question, and the race will develop into nothing but a scramble between horses slipping and sliding around. Some will no doubt be sent to the post that would never be deemed contenders had the track been fast. There are names in the list of entries that are practically unknown and others that have never shown fitting Futurity form.

For instance, there is Midshipman, which on form is little better than a selling plater. Little Em is also among the lot, a filly that is no doubt a winner in her class, but hardly fit to be mentioned with horses like Delhi, Hamburg Belle and Broomstick.

As wards picking a winner, it is almost out of the question. The race has developed into a grab-bag affair.

The entries for the Futurity:

Horse.	Wt.	Odds.	Nominator.	Jockey.
Beldame	116	10	Aug. Belmont	Minder
Midshipman	117	10	Aug. Belmont	Forgs
Prudence	114	5	S. S. Brown	Helgesen
Broomstick	127	4	S. S. Brown	Odom
Raglan	124	10	F. Gebhart	Hicks
Dovecote	119	20	Foxhall Keene	.....
Delhi	127	16-5	J. R. Keene	Gannon
Kohinoor	117	16-5	J. R. Keene	Coburn
Abdeli	117	4	J. E. Madden	O'Neil
Gettysburg	122	4	J. E. Madden	Connal
Minute Man	122	4	J. E. Madden	.....
Mercury	117	10	W. C. Whitney	Redfern
Leonidas	123	10	W. Whitney	Burns
Flying Belle	114	3	Syd Paget	Fuller
Highball	123	8	W. Schefte1	Winkfield
Little Em	114	25	W. Lakeland	J. Martin
Lady Amelia	114	20	C. Woodford	Robbins
Phaeas	117	20	Osceola Stbl.	D. O'B'n
Col. Jessup	117	50	D. Higgins	Callahan

LOUISVILLE LIKES MUD.

At Liberal Odds Wins Handicap In Easy Fashion at Hawthorne.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—With the track almost inundated from a heavy rain which fell between the first and second races at Hawthorne today, Louisville found the soft going perfectly to her liking, and, after being backed from 8 to 1 down to 5 to 1, won the mile and a furlong handicap in easy fashion. Peter Paul, with 115 pounds up, and backed from 8 to 5 even money, ran away with the fourth race in the remarkable time of 1:02 4-5 for the five furlongs over such a bad track. Summary:

First race, 6 furlongs—Red Raven, 109, D. Davis, 9 to 2, won; Don't Ask Me, 110, Ferrell, 8 to 1, second; The Meteor, 108, Adkins, 15 to 1, third. Time 1:18 4-5.

Second race, 5½ furlongs—Allata, 100, Hoffler, 7 to 1, won; Cognomen, 91, J. Booker, 8 to 1, second; Chickavotte, 106, W. Knapp, 8 to 1, third. Time 1:10.

Third race, 1¼ miles—Louisville, 94, W. Knapp, 6 to 1, won; By Ways, 86, L. Wilson, 10 to 5, second; Star Cotton, 90, J. Booker, 6 to 1, third. Time 1:58.

Fourth race, 5 furlongs—Peter Paul, 115, H. Phillipps, even, won; Wheedle, 98, L. Wilson, 2 to 1, second; J. W. O'Neill, 103, Robbins, 9 to 10, third. Time 1:02 4-5.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles—Fonsoluca, 102, L. Wilson, 4 to 1, won; Hagen, 100, Otis, 5 to 1, second; C. L. Campbell, 104, H. Phillips, 4 to 1, third. Time 1:52 3-5.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Ancke, 105, Otis, 4 to 5, won; Lady Amna, 98, Robbins, 10 to 1, second; Bush, 102, L. Wilson, 5 to 1, third. Time—1:46.

RACE DECLARED OFF.

Not Enough Breeze for Yachts Racing for Lipton Cup.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—After sailing half of the course today in the race of the series for the Sir Thomas Lipton cup, the contest was declared off, as none of the 21-footers was able to finish within the time limit of three hours. The light breeze that was blowing when the yachts started, died away completely after they had been out two hours and 15 minutes, and when the race was called off all the boats were standing still. Hoosier was in the lead, 30 seconds ahead of Little Shamrock, while the rest of the fleet was strung out half a mile behind.

YORK TO HAVE FOOTBALL ELEVEN

YORK, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The York Athletic association will have a strong football team this season. Such names are likely to appear in the lineup as these: Allland of the Shippensburg Normal; Decker, of Dickinson; Rider, McCall and Manifold, formerly of Yale; Williamson, late of Dickinson; Frey, late of State College, and others. The board at its next meeting will elect a manager and captain. A series of games with the Harrisburg Athletic club will promote great rivalry.

ALONE DOES HALF IN 59 1-2 SECONDS

PETALUMA, CAL., Aug. 28.—In an exhibition half mile the pacing mare Along, driven by her owner, T. Keator, and accompanied by a runner, made the distance in :59½.

Central League Games.

At Evansville—

FIRST GAME.

Evansville	3	2	0
Grand Rapids	0	2	0

Batteries—Goodwin and Cross, Simonton and O'Neil.

SECOND GAME.

	R.	H.	E.
Evansville	0	1	1
Grand Rapids	0	0	0

Batteries—Wilhs and Cross, Miller and O'Neil.

At Dayton—

	R.	H.	E.
Dayton	0	1	0
Rkdn. Bend	0	0	0

Batteries—Bonnett and Tate, Schafer and Andrews.

At Marion—

	R.	H.	E.
Marion	0	0	0
Terre Haute	0	2	0

Batteries—McNeil and Herbert; Gunion, Smith and Richardson.

At Wheeling—

Wheeling	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	—5
Ft. Wayne	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	—4

Batteries—Smith and Schriver, Carbiener and Ostdick.

SECOND GAME.

Wheeling	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	—5
Ft. Wayne	1	0	0	0	4	0	2	0	0	—7

Batteries—Miller and Shannon, Curtis and Ostdick.

Last Day at Monongahela.

MONONGAHELA CITY, PA., Aug. 28.—Three events, 2:35 trot, a free-for-all trot and a 2:25 pace, trotting, purse $400—were the last day of a successful meet for the Monongahela Valley Driving Park association. Summaries:

2:35 class, trotting, purse $400—

S. B., r g (Galvin)	6	3	1	1	1
Twilight, g g (McNulty)	1	1	2	2	3
Lon H. (Patterson)	3	2	3	3	2
Buzwood, b g (Collins)	2	6	5	6	4
Weishod, g g (Kern)	5	5	4	4	5
Millbert, br h (Long)	4	4	dis		

Time 2:22¼, 2:20¼, 2:20¼, 2:20, 2:20¾.

Free-for-all trot, purse $400—

Austin Boy, b g (Spelts)	1	1	1	1	1
Successful, r g (Collins)	2	2	2	2	2
Andy E., b g (Taylor)	3	3	3	3	3

Time 2:20¾, 2:18¼, 2:18¾, 2:18¾.

2:24 trot, purse $400—

Pearl Norvel, b m (Ferguson)	1	1	5	1	1
Axiom, b g (Store)	3	2	1	3	3
Maggie Anderson, m (Burns)	4	5	2	2	2
Andy E., b g (Wallace)	2	4	3	5	5
Sheffield Maid, m (Gordon)	5	6	6	4	4
Lady Mack, br m (Rood)	6	3	4	6	dis

Time 2:20¾, 2:20¼, 2:20, 2:20¾.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	70	39	.642	New York	59	52	.505
Cleveland	68	47	.591	St. Louis	49	57	.462
Philadelphia	69	51	.541	Chicago	50	69	.455
Detroit	54	58	.506	Washington	35	78	.324

HAS NOT FLED CREDITORS, BUT STILL IN NEW YORK

William N. Fleischmann Says He Will Stay in Gotham Until Debt Is Paid—Brother Ernest Trying to Raise the Money.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—William N. Fleischmann has not gone to Europe. On the contrary, he is in New York, and will, he says, stay here until his debts are squared.

"You can say," said Fleischmann today, "that I am not running away from my debts, and that every cent I owe will be paid in the course of a month. I have placed the matter in the hands of my brother, Ernest, who will see to it that the interest of every creditor is protected."

When Ernest Fleischmann was seen in his law office at No. 140 Nassau street he corroborated the statement made by his brother declaring that he would be freed from his responsibilities to the bookmakers within a month.

"I have no detailed statement to make yet," said Ernest Fleischmann, "but I will say that I am negotiating now to get money to pay the debts of my brother, and that I have every assurance that I will succeed within the month.

"My brother is not going to Europe, neither is he a very sick man, but I don't think he could be called a well man. All the creditors of William N. Fleischmann can accept it as a forgone conclusion that the debts he incurred at Saratoga will be paid dollar for dollar."

TWO GAMES WITH NILES TODAY AT HOMESTEAD

Hickey Gets Another Date from Risher and Brownlee Wants One—Card for Today.

Rain again caused a postponement of the Niles games at Homestead yesterday, but a double header is carded for this afternoon. Manager Risher announced last night that the first game will be called at 2 o'clock, with either Parkins or Alex Pearson on the rubber. These pitchers are his selections for the two games. Shortstop Ferguson, who has been sick for some time past, will probably be at the position this afternoon. Ferguson was at the library yesterday afternoon mingling with the players. His return will permit Charlie McCloskey to again take care of right field, which is badly needed by the team.

Charles De Moss, the Niles captain, is more than anxious to take both games, as he will be practically playing to a home crowd. Red Nagle, his third baseman, was also at Homestead last year. Kommer, Glassburner and Corbett are from Allegheny and their friends will be much in evidence at the games.

Manager Ed Hickey of Millvale and Risher had a long conversation over the telephone last night, the result of which was that Hickey and another date, September 19, at Millvale. The manager of the Pittsburgh Amateurs, or Junctions, was after these days, but did not get them, as Risher claims he is too handy to let them get away. A deal. Manager James Brownlee of the Washington team was at Homestead yesterday trying to induce Risher to consent to take his team to Washington for get away day, September 10. Risher is tied up with Waynesburg at Waynesburg for a series of three and if he can get the Waynesburg management to relinquish one of the days he will play Washington on that date.

Burgess Hickey has the Etna A. C. scheduled for Millvale this afternoon. Hickey was after the Kent or Johnstown teams, but could not get either, and Green will pitch for Hickey and Smith, a south paw phenomenon, will oppose him.

The Aspinwall team will be the attraction at the Coal and Iron park with the Electric club this afternoon. Bridgeville, with either Capen or Geohring on the slab, will be at Washington to play the deciding game of a series of three with Penn's team. Either Stottler or Bill Coleman will pitch for Wilmerding this afternoon at Wilmerding against Manor, which will pitch Rankin. This will be one of the best between these clubs and at that a hot affair.

Frank "Midget" Spuhler, the High school captain, and Alex McCracken, captain of the East Liberty academy team, both of the All-Interscholastics, arrived home yesterday from the north. Spuhler got in from Chautauqua and McCracken from Canada. McCracken may play with one of the local fast teams this year, while the "Midget" will rest up. He has a very bad knee cap which was injured in a game at Chautauqua.

The Waynesburg team passed through Pittsburgh yesterday from East Liverpool, where it was unable to play because of a flood.

The Fairbanks will play the Tarentum team for the attraction at West Etna park today. These teams meet at Tarentum earlier in the season, the Fairbanks winning. Brucker will pitch for the visitors and Doherty for the Germans.

WILHELM RECEIVES MANY GOOD OFFERS

WOOSTER, O., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Irwin Wilhelm today had telegrams from two National league clubs and Little Rock and Birmingham of the Southern league, making offers for his services. Wilhelm believes he will not sign with any club at present, but will accept special engagements.

Columbia to Enter Crew.

The Columbia Boat club will send a crew to the Washington middle state regatta Labor day. The crew is requested to report this evening for a spin down the river.

AMONG THE AMATEURS.

The Kleinman Blues play Melrose today.

The Hill Tops will play at Fair Haven today.

The Rosebud A. C. will play at Verona today.

The Casino A. C. will play at Idlewood this afternoon.

The Acorn Juniors will go to East Pittsburgh this afternoon.

The Lincoln A. C. will play the Minersville Crescents today.

The National Juniors will play the Villa A. C. on Sunday.

The Wolfe A. C. will play the Duquesne A. C. at Carrick today.

Economy will have as its opponents today the North Side team.

The Cullen A. C. will play the Carnegie A. C. at Carnegie today.

The Sherman Senate A. A. will play the Coraopolis A. C. today.

The Melrose A. C. players are to report at the grounds at 2 o'clock.

The Idlewood Juniors play the Braddock Giants at Braddock today.

The Harvard Juniors play the Warner A. C. on the University grounds.

The Loughridges today will play the Homewood team at Cottage grounds.

The Mt. Lebanon A. C. will go to Anderson today to meet the Anderson A. C.

The Marlettas will play the Manchester Juniors on the latter's grounds today.

The Anchoria A. C. of Brushton will play the Winonas today on the latter's grounds.

The Aspinwall A. C. of Herron Hill will play the Millins today on the latter's grounds.

The Hackett A. C. will play the Olympia A. C. of Allegheny this afternoon at Finleyville.

The Beaver A. C. has Labor Day open. Address Thomas Kennelly, 1803 Delaware street, Allegheny.

The Eureka A. C. will play the Mount Troy Juniors today and the Palen A. C. two games on Labor Day.

The Herron Hill A. C. will meet the Westlakes today at Herron Hill park, Duff street and Bedford avenue.

The Mohawks will play at Ben Avon this afternoon. All players are to report at 1:30 at Ft. Wayne depot.

Two games will be played at Avalon today, the first with Hoboken and the second with the National A. C. of Allegheny.

The Verner plays the Signal A. C. of the Union Switch and Signal Company today on the Winebiddle avenue grounds.

The Birmingham A. C. would like to arrange a game with some strong team with grounds. Call 38 Fisk and ask for Hoffman.

The Highland Athletic club will play the Elmore A. C. on the Highland grounds today. Game will start at 3:30 p. m.

The Ben Avon A. C. is anxious to have a game for today with any 16 to 18-year-old team at home. Call up 4008-J Fisk on Bell phone.

Company G first will play an All-College team on Shadyside academy grounds this afternoon. Morse and Dravo will be the battery for Company G.

The Lafayettes will play the Kingsleys at Valemich. All members of the team are requested to meet at the P. & W. station, Allegheny, at 12:45 p. m.

The Cabinet A. C. is without a game for today and any local 17-year-old team having grounds can have a game by calling up 332 Fisk and asking for George Nickel.

Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Railroad.
$2 50 Round Trip. $2 50
Ashtabula, Sunday Morning.
Leave Lake Erie station 8 a. m., city time, returning Sunday evening, or excursion tickets are valid on any train Monday.

POWELL AND WILSON TO MEET IN THE FINALS

Contest Today for Cup Emblematic of Western Maryland Tennis Championship.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CUMBERLAND, MD., Aug. 28.—The Western Maryland championship tennis tournament was continued today on the grounds of the Cumberland Country club. In the ladies' doubles today, Misses Mary MacHenry and Ruth Cochrane defeated Misses Margaret Grove and Elizabeth Dwyer, 6—2, 6—3, 6—2.

In the men's doubles, F. Edgerton Powell and Creede Wilson defeated Homer Wilson and Virgil Powell, 6—1, 6—4.

In the mixed doubles, H. H. Dickey and Miss Mary MacHenry defeated B. Fitzsimons and Miss Elizabeth Dwyer, 6—3, 6—1. A. Hunter Boyd, Jr., and Miss Harlan of Philadelphia played against H. H. Dickey and Miss Mary McHenry, 6—0, 6—3. Third set stopped on account of darkness.

In the men's singles Homer Wilson defeated A. Hunter Boyd, Jr., 8—6, 6—2. Rain prevented yesterday's games, except in the men's singles. F. Edgerton Powell defeated John K. Wimbrough of Altoona, 6—3, 6—2, and in the mixed doubles A. Hunter Boyd, Jr., and H. H. Dickey defeated J. Thurston Boyd and J. Mac Sharp, 6—4, 6—1.

Tomorrow F. Edgerton Powell and Homer Wilson play the finals of the men's singles for the Western Maryland championship, the winner also to receive the silver cup, to be contested for annually.

ANOTHER HIGH RECORD IN THE SMALLPOX LINE

Pittsburgh's Safety Officials Planning More Systematic Work.

Another new smallpox record was reached in Pittsburgh yesterday, making the third highest record inside of one week. Yesterday 19 new cases and two deaths were reported to the bureau of health. The spread of the disease is something unexpected by the health bureau officials and is causing them no little concern. Meetings of the several heads of the department of public safety were held yesterday at which plans were laid to prevent further contagion. Stringent orders are to be issued and a determined effort made to stamp out the disease.

At a conference yesterday morning between Elias Johns, chief clerk of the department of public safety, Superintendent G. W. Moore of the bureau of health and Superintendent J. P. McTighe of the police department it was decided to use the entire police force to assist in stamping out smallpox. The increase in the number of cases reported within the past 24 hours was the cause of this action. A thorough cleansing of the city will be ordered and more stringent sanitary rules will be adopted.

Orders will be issued through the police to the people to clean their cellars. Walls must be whitewashed and lime strewn about. Streets and alleys will be washed with hose. The vaccination corps of physicians will be increased. Policemen will accompany the vaccination corps, which will visit the infected districts first, and then take in other sections where the disease had not become epidemic. All persons exposed to contagion will be vaccinated unless they have recently undergone that operation.

Mrs. Catherine McMackin, 37 years old, of 324 Hannar street, died at the Municipal hospital yesterday morning, an hour and a half after she had been admitted as a smallpox patient. One other death occurred in the Municipal hospital late last night, and will not be reported to the health bureau until this morning.

The new cases reported include Mrs. McMackin and one case discovered late last night, which will not be entered on the health bureau books until today, and are as follows: Helen Elshradt, No. 2522 Clemens alley; Arthur Crosley, No. 47 Hatfield street; James Manigan, Charlotte street; Lucy Duncan, No. 2 Jacobus alley; Fannie Henry, No. 1824 Forbes street; Harriet Dash, No. 2301 Wylie avenue; Felix Graves, No. 3606 Preble street; Rudolph Fraubttter, Chartiers and Race streets; Effie Davis, No. 42 Wandless street; H. B. Fischer, No. 4213 Mifflin street; Oscar McInquist, No. 4311 Mifflin street; Charles Doerr, No. 4204 Mifflin street; Catherine Metz, No. 4415 Penn avenue; Albert Sauter, Forty-first street; Nora Cochran, No. 135 Fortieth street; Veronica Cochran, No. 1 Bigelow street; Edward Schaefer, No. 1825 Larkins alley.

The finance committee of Allegheny councils is wondering how much money it is going to take to pull the health bureau out of its present entangled state, and prevent the spreading of smallpox. In addition to the yearly appropriation, which was $6,000 for 1903, the Allegheny bureau of health got $5,000 a few months ago to keep up the form of maintaining quarantine against smallpox, and then all of a sudden the department became very lax and allowed the scourge to gain a new and strong foothold. The bureau now wants $5,000.

Members of the finance committee, as a rule, will probably be inclined to vote in favor of the appropriation, but it will go pretty hard with the anti-Wyman members to give consent for the use of the public money to the defenders dozed to neglect. These members, it is said, may oppose the measure on the ground that the affairs of the bureau should first be investigated before giving it any more money. As far as the public health is concerned the more money there is for the appropriation, but the management of the health bureau has been such that the anti-Wyman fellows want to be shown the goods. The finance committee will meet in a few days.

Another case of smallpox was reported yesterday to the Allegheny bureau of health. It is that of Harry Mangan, white, aged 27 years, of No. 720 Goodrich street. It is not known how the disease was contracted. We are better satisfied than ever," said Superintendent McLaughlin yesterday, "with the smallpox situation. We find that the people are complying with our instructions and that is the main thing.

The First ward school Allegheny, will not open on September 1. This was agreed to by the board Thursday evening. The schoolhouse is situated in the Charles street district, where so much smallpox was found, and the directors think it would be very unwise to have the children pass through that place. No definite time has been set for the opening.

There will probably be no services at the Pleasant Valley church tomorrow. The pastor, the Rev. J. B. Starkey, did not deem it advisable to hold services last Sunday because of the smallpox in the neighborhood, and the conditions are now such that the church is likely to remained closed tomorrow.

POOL SELLING IS STOPPED BY POLICE

Minions of Law Get After Layers of Odds at Readville Track. Cox Drives Well.

DILLON BOY WINS FOR HUDSON

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

BOSTON, Aug. 28.—Pool selling was stopped at the Readville races today by the police of Dedham. The driving of Cox was a feature of today's racing, he winning both his races. Prince of Orange was an even money favorite for the 2:08 trot. A big plunge was made on Frank Wilson for the 2:15 pace, even in the face of the fact that Major C. had defeated him at Brighton Beach last week.

Scott Dillon did not want to start Dillon Boy in the 2:16 trot, but as he had not withdrawn him from the race last evening, according to the rules, the judges compelled him to start the horse. Hudson, on account of his suspension, engaged Ed Bonyon to drive for him. Dillon Boy won both heats. It was his second victory of the week. Another boy was twice in the meeting was Al Bock, but he only had a good workout to take the 2:19 pace. Summaries:

2:19 class, trotting, purse $1,000 (heat 2 to 3):

Al Bock, blk h (Curry)	1	1	
C. O. D., ch g (Nolan)	2	2	
Daybook, blk g (Fergerson)	3	3	
Ethel Mac, ch m (McCarthy)	4	4	
Cotillion, b g (Snow)	7	5	
Jim Kyle, b g (Starr)	5	6	
Hercules, b g (Dillon)	6	dis	

Time 2:08¾, 2:11¾.

2:08 class, trotting, purse $2,000 (heat 2 to 3):

Prince of Orange, br g (Cox)	1	1	
Kay, b g (Starr)	3	2	
Verona, br m (Benyon)	2	3	
Duke Cox, b m (Miller)	4	4	
Banner Bear, b g (McHenry)	5	5	

Time 2:09¼, 2:08¾.

2:15 class, pacing, purse $1,000 (heat 2 to 3):

Major C, b h (Cox)	2	1	1
Frank Wilson, b g (McDonald)	1	2	4
Sagwa, b g (Berry)	4	4	2
Kiowa, b g (Bush)	3	3	3
Hale R., b g (Richardson)	6	5	5
Fred

TEACHERS END BANNER SESSION

County Institute That Closed Yesterday Was One of the Most Profitable.

RESOLUTIONS OF APPROVAL

Educators Go on Record as Saying the Gathering Was Helpful—Dr. Winship of Boston Had Kind Words for Pennsylvanians.

One of the most profitable week's sessions ever held by the Allegheny County Teachers' institute came to a close at noon yesterday at Carnegie music hall. The close was of the blaze-of-glory style, owing to the enthusiasm that characterized the sessions up to the very end.

Nearer My God to Thee" was sung with great feeling when Supt. Hamilton conducted the devotional exercises by reading certain scriptural selections, which he deemed particularly appropriate for the occasion.

Dr. W. W. Black of the city normal school of Chicago, received great applause when he came on to make his final address. He paid a generous tribute to the teachers for their close attention to his talks during a week of hot weather, which, he said, was rather remarkable for such a large body. He frankly confessed that he did not "know it all" when it came to meeting the problem of how to teach and manage the boy.

Dr. Black's philosophy of pedagogics has been most enjoyable and instructive to the teachers, according to Dr. Hamilton's testimony, and to many of them a veritable revelation. The superintendent said he expected it to bear fruit in the county schools during the coming year. He watches for the effects of the institute instruction when he visits the schools, and in the more than 900 which he inspected last year he found most gratifying results. Dr. Black was vociferously applauded when he closed and had to make a brief response.

Warm Welcome for Dr. Armstrong.

Dr. Robert A. Armstrong, professor of English in the West Virginia state university at Morgantown, was also warmly welcomed when he took the platform for his closing lecture, which proved intensely interesting and instructive. The essential qualifications in any teacher, he said, are matter, method and spirit, but the greatest of these is spirit. He voiced his belief in the gospel of sunshine, and implored the teachers to carry sunshine and cheerfulness into their school rooms. "By all means," he urged, "Cultivate a spirit of cheerfulness in your work."

Dr. A. E. Winship of Boston, made a characteristically spirited address for the wind-up of his series, taking "Educational Leaders" for his subject, on which he spoke partly as follows:

Educational leaders are developed with great difficulty and for several reasons. There is no direct way by which a local leader can be expanded into a national character and no way by which a man can make a crisis sufficiently universal to focus national thought upon a large question. Pennsylvania has had two men whose state service to education is matchless—Governor Wolfe and Thaddeus Stevens, but both were so great in other directions that the historians minimize their services to the schools.

This state has had three educators whose leadership was notable—Burrowes, Wickersham and Higbee, but Wickersham alone attracted attention outside the state and he did not secure significant outside recognition to enthrone him as a national educational leader. The state today has two men peerless in their class. You have a state superintendent who, as a thinker, as a speaker, as a doer of great deeds in the enactment of laws has no superior among state officials since the days of Horace Mann, and she has a county superintendent whose masterly plans of educational work, whose ability as a writer on administrative problems, whose leadership in the county and state and whose length of service place him without a peer as a county official between the seas. And yet it will be remarkable if any educator, living here or "over there," becomes one of the educational immortals.

In the 18 years of activity with voice and pen, my purpose has been to do all in my power to magnify every worthy man and woman with whom there seems to have been or to have the slightest chance of emphasizing or developing leadership. I ask no higher tribute in any brief biographical note that may be written when I am "over there" than that "he did what he could to help teachers to believe in their own leadership."

Musical Director T. L. Gibson also made a brief farewell address, in which he complimented the teachers on their faithful attention to his instructions.

Principal C. E. Dickey of the Avalon school, reported for the committee on necrology, paying a deserved tribute to the memory of the teachers who died during the year. They were: Homer J. Rose, Sewickley; Dora Glenn, Elizabeth township; Carrie Lee, Glassport; Anna Wherry, Carnegie; Emma J. Eaton, Ross township, and Mrs. Amberson, Versailles township.

The report of the committee on resolutions was adopted as follows:

Resolutions Adopted by Teachers.

Whereas, The teachers of Allegheny county in the Fifty-third annual session of their institute desire to make public some ex-pression of the sentiments which they most heartily endorse, therefore be it resolved,

First—That the large attendance and great interest manifested by the teachers during all the sessions of the institute show the value of these meetings and the increasing desire of the teachers of the county to become qualified to do efficient work.

Second—That we express our thanks to the corps of able instructors for their interesting, inspiring and helpful talks; to the musical directors for their good work; to the Treble chorus, whose music was one of the most enjoyable features of the institute; to the press for its kindness in reporting the proceedings of the institute, and to all others who have been instrumental in making this institute so pleasant and profitable.

Third—That we appreciate the continuance of the honor system of keeping our time.

Fourth—That we commend the state legislature for passing the act for providing for "the elevation of the profession of teaching and the attaining of more equitable remuneration for those engaged." We point with satisfaction to many boroughs and townships of the county in which there has been a marked increase in the teachers' salaries for the present year, because in living salaries for teachers lies our hope that teaching shall become a profession.

Fifth—That we realize more and more the ability, wisdom and worth of Superintendent Hamilton as an educational leader. We gratefully appreciate the fact that under his direction the schools of Allegheny county have advanced to the front rank among the schools of the state, and that by his work in educational meetings, not only in all parts of our own county but in other parts of the state, he is inspiring the people with a desire for better schools.

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Relief Club Closes Today.

The Relief club, the members of which have taken care of 130 little children during the past two months, closes the season today. The club has been conducting a summer home for children at Idlewood. During last winter the 16 young women of the East End who compose the club did hospital work. This winter the sewing classes and private hospital work will be continued. Miss Florence B. Lanahan of Centre avenue is president of the club, Miss Edith Keating of Stratford avenue, Bellevue; Miss Ruth A. Weldon, who is at present in Buffalo, is secretary. The vice presidents, Mrs. Albert Daschbach, formerly Miss Estelle MacCloskey, is abroad on her honeymoon. The work done this summer by the Relief club has been remarkably successful and the young women are already planning work on a larger scale for next year.

Commissioners Indicted.

FRANKLIN, PA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Indictments were prepared today against County Commissioners John Irwin, John Lamberton and Charles W. Shaner for their failure to make repairs on the suspension bridge spanning the Allegheny river in Oil City. Similar action was taken with regard to a bridge in Cherry Tree township.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

David Fulton, Jr.	McKeesport
Emma Richards	McKeesport
Orville H. Brown	Allegheny
Nettie L. Sillenburg	Allegheny
William G. Brown	Pittsburgh
Martha A. Neale	Pittsburgh
Granvil Heart	Oakmont
Carrie Furycar	Oakmont

CAPT. ELLISON ASKED TO BE THE GUEST OF THE REPUBLIC OF PARAGUAY

Captain J. F. Ellison.

Captain J. F. Ellison, a well known river man, being superintendent of the Cincinnati and Pittsburgh Packet Company, and one of Cincinnati's most prominent citizens, occupying the position of president of the chamber of commerce, has received an invitation to go to Paraguay as the guest of that republic. The invitation is from the minister of the interior of the South American republic through the American consul, J. M. Ruffin, who is stationed at Asuncion, Paraguay. All expenses of the trip are to be paid by the Paraguay government.

Captain Ellison has taken the matter under consideration and will consult with his partners in Pittsburgh before accepting the invitation. In case he does accept he will be met by a government boat and an escort and every honor will be shown him. A correspondence extending over a period of more than three years, on the subject of the building and navigation of boats of the type used on the Ohio river and their adaptability for navigation for the rivers of South America, which are feeders of the Rio La Platte, led to the invitation.

The various rivers will be inspected and the advisability of placing several lines of steamers on them will be discussed. These rivers have a total navigable length of 5,000 miles, with a four-foot channel or more the entire year.

LIFEGUARDS GIVE FINE EXHIBITION

Launch a Lifeboat to Please a Visitor and Barely Escape Drowning.

FRAIL CRAFT IS CAPSIZED

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Young's Ocean Pier,
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 28.

Five of the most expert of the life guards had a narrow escape from drowning late this afternoon while making an exhibition of the efficiency of the corps. Late in the afternoon Life Guard Castro was asked by a visitor what the guards would do should there be an occasion to launch one of the lifeboats, as the sea was too rough for any of the boats to live. The guard replied that they would take the risk. The man doubted it and Castro asked permission of the captain of his section to launch one of the boats after the hour of going off duty to give an exhibition. This permission was given and there was a scramble of the guards to get into the boat. Five of them, Castro, Penney, Leidy, Walsh and Snoppel, the best men on the guard, were chosen and they pushed the boat into the breakers.

It was tossed about like a shell, but the guards stuck to their oars and went 600 feet out to sea. Then the little boat was struck by a huge comber that filled it with water and capsized it. The exhibition was started during a lull in the rain and the boardwalk and beach was lined with people who thought that the guards would be drowned. So expert as swimming were the men and so trained to their work that they succeeded in righting the boat and bailing it out. Then they started back, but the surf was too rough to effect a landing until they had drifted a mile down the beach.

Pittsburghers at the Seashore.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the various hotels:

BREVOORT.
William B. Valentine, Mrs. C. Leroy, Miss Reba Miller.
BOWERS.
Miss M. Leidy.
CHETWOODE.
AVALON.
Miss Alexander, Miss M. Houck.
COLEMAN.
PITTSHOUSE.
M. McAllister, James Wood, Miss H. Wood.
CONQUERORS.
Henry Smith.
Charles H. Small, Miss Florence Pontiac.
EDEN HALL.
David Phillips
Miss Holt, LORRAINE.
Thomas Kerns, Mrs. S. M. Saylor.
LEADONIA.
HALLEIGH.
M. Fisher, David Murphy.
Mrs. Fisher, Arthur Allen.
KILLCOURSE.
JACKSON.
Arthur Squire, Fred Curtis.
Miss Gill, C. L. Corder.
LA TOURAINE.
HOLMHURST.
M. Dolan, H. J. Carl.
MORRIS.
Mrs. Carl.
Harry Mervine, ALTAMONT-CRAIG HALL.
H. Nose, T. Challinor.
MERVINE.
Mrs. Challinor.
David Hill, HADDON HALL.
ROSSMORE.
J. Hoffman.
Miss Clara Bennett, Miss E. Hoffman.
RIO GRANDE.
Miss N. Hoffman.
Miss Anna Kofmann, Miss N. Weisbrod.
SILVERTON.
Miss S. C. Sweeney.
James H. Bornhaltz, Miss S. McLaughlin.
STRAND.
David J. Hicks
Miss Mamie Bird, MALAVESTA.
SAN JOSE.
James M. Morin,
George Shoemaker, W. Smith,
WORTHINGTON.
Mrs. Smith.
Miss Jane Eagle, ST. CHARLES.
CHELTENHAM.
Mrs. W. F. Marshall.
Miss Grace Campbell, DENNIS.
DUQUESNE-MARION.
Mrs. Olaf Ussing.
Fred Nevin, WATKINS.
YOUNG'S HOTEL.
Charles Petticord.
Miss E. Hess, WINCHESTER.
Miss Rene BRADDOCK.
Henry B. Kitchen.
H. Berry, DUNLOP.
Mrs. Berry, Robert K. Arnold,
CARLETON HALL.
M. A. Smith,
Henry Hill, Samuel F. Hammond.
HANNIS HOTEL.
HENDERSON.
George H. Heckman, Miss Louise Clark,
STRATHHAVEN.
Harry Lamb,
Charles M. Powers, Sam Hall and family,
KENILWORTH INN.
Miss Perth,
Arthur P. Richey, Irene Eaton,
ROYAL PALACE.
Myrtle Eaton,
Charles Hyde, ARGYLE LODGE.
CHALFONTE.
Mrs. F. A. Grundy,
Harry T. Armstrong, Mrs. E. Matheis.
W. C. LITTLE.

THE ALVIN OPENS TONIGHT.

"King Dodo" Will Signalize the Event by Holding a Rousing Reception.

The theatrical season of 1903-4 at the Alvin begins tonight, when the doors of this popular theater will be thrown open for a "King Dodo" reception. Messrs. Nixon & Zimmerman consider themselves fortunate in being able to offer as their opening attraction Henry W. Savage's company in the light opera triumph of last season. Richard Golden will be seen in the title role and he will have the assistance of a company numbering 80.

During the summer months Manager Thomas K. Kirk, Jr., has superintended the thorough renovation of this popular house and when patrons step inside of the Alvin they will see how much plenty of hard work can beautify a theater. New carpets, new draperies and new furnishings in general will make both house and stage a playhouse worthy this great city. Everything has been done for the benefit of the public.

KILLED THE GIRL WHO REFUSED TO MARRY HIM

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Because she refused to marry him, Jack Williams of Welch this afternoon shot and killed Mamie Shafer. Williams gave himself up. He was desperately in love and had repeatedly proposed marriage to the girl. He finally told her this morning that if she did not consent he would kill her. She smiled and he drew a revolver from his pocket and fired.

Fresh every morning at your grocer's.

PERSONALS

J. S. B. Thompson, general agent of the Southern railway, with headquarters at Atlanta, Ga., arrived in Pittsburgh last night in his private car. With him were Dr. A. Woodman and wife, L. B. Musgrove, a coal operator, and Miss Florence Robb, all of Atlanta. They are on a tour and decided to spend a day here. Mr. Thompson said that the travel south this year has far exceeded that of last year and predicted that during the coming winter it will be a record-breaker. He said he was greatly interested in Pittsburgh on account of its tonnage being so great.

Joseph W. Simpson of Chicago, a grain broker, passed through the city last night on the Pennsylvania limited. He says the present advance in flour will only be temporary, having been caused by the mills running short of certain kinds of wheat. Now that the crops are about all in and are better than expected, the price of flour will soon regain its normal rate. The increased freight rates will tend to keep up the prices of all kinds of grain, but not to an alarming extent. Mr. Simpson had been in New York on business.

Joseph A. Schwab, father of Charles M. Schwab, ex-president of the United States Steel Corporation, arrived in the city last night and registered at the Seventh Avenue. He said he was here on business and will leave for his home in Loretto this morning.

Miss Margaret May Miller has been elected principal of the Birmingham sub-district school, South Side, after a long-drawn-out fight in the school board. The new teachers elected were Miss Annie McCarthy, Miss Martha N. Crawford and Miss Gertrude Brophy.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

The residents of nearby towns registered at the local hotels last night were as follows:

Seventh Avenue—H. E. Franklin, Dubois; T. P. Wilson, Greensburg; T. C. Johnson, New Castle; W. L. Stevenson, West Newton; J. R. Abram, Dunbar, and G. U. Sommerson, Connellsville.

Monongahela House—F. J. McCain, Mercer; R. L. Jones, Scottdale; A. Gibson, Washington; John R. Hogan, Uniontown, and A. B. Davidson, Clearfield.

Henry—C. F. Bell, Jeannette; F. H. Franz, Washington; O. Horner, Fayette county; C. T. Augustein, Latrobe; R. A. Joyce, Confluence, and J. B. Smithley, Sharon.

Duquesne—J. H. Baker, Altoona; John McKeefrey, Johnsonville; S. G. Batfell, Bellaire, and H. Sprucepank, Clairton.

Griswold—J. K. Rush, East Liverpool; J. M. Walsh, Youngstown; B. F. Store, Corry; John C. Neff, Uniontown, and James A. Marschaer, Morgantown.

Lincoln—H. E. Clark, Middletown.

Newell's—W. McZare, Tarentum, and A. Snare, Wheeling.

Anderson—M. J. Thompson, Zanesville, and William S. Ulery, Scottdale.

Victoria—T. G. Krauss, Monongahela City, and S. P. Schnertz, Donora.

Parlor Car Trains for Erie via Pennsylvania Lines.

Leave Pittsburgh Union station 9:03 a. m. and 5:35 p. m., Allegheny 9:12 a. m. and 5:42 p. m., city time. Saturdays, Round trip $3.00, good to return until Monday.

EXCURSION TO WHEELING TOMORROW, Via B. & O. R. R., $1.50 Round Trip. Special train leaves Pittsburgh at 8:40 a. m.

SOCIETY.

CHARLES L. Hamilton, Samuel Hamilton, Jr., Mrs. Nana Hamilton Williams and Samuel Hamilton Williams, Jr., of Highland Heights, East End, who sailed August 29 for Bremen, will land tomorrow. The party arose direct to Berlin to join Miss Grace Hamilton, who has been abroad for some time studying music. Charles and Samuel Hamilton will return to the city some time in October. Mrs. Williams, her son and Miss Hamilton remaining in Germany to avoid the winter in study and travel. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hamilton, Sr., and their youngest son, Ferris Hamilton, arrived in New York last Tuesday on the Fredrick der Grosse after having been abroad all summer. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton and their son spent a day in Lawrenceville, N. J., where Master Ferris is to enter school shortly, going from there to Ocean Grove, where they have been for the last few days. They are expected home this evening. Miss Frances and Donald Hamilton are at present at their home in North Highland avenue.

Mrs. Bailey's Entertainment.

The second in the trio of entertainments being given this week by Mrs. Charles Bailey of Oakmont was a very dainty affair, differing from the first in that it was cards, the other having been fancy work. Seven tables were in use yesterday, the game being six-hand euchre. The pretty prizes went to Mrs. Charles N. Agnew, Miss Morris (nee Bandy), Miss Alice Paul and Mrs. D. Clark Bailey. Place cards were unique little pictures of negro children. Pink and white were the colors carried out in the decorative scheme. This afternoon Mrs. Bailey gives a Bandanna Progressive euchre. The hours are from 12:30 o'clock until 5, six tables to be used. The decorations will be carried out in lavender.

Will Sail Today.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Marshall of Fifth avenue, with their two daughters, Miss Nancy Gibson Marshall and Miss Sara Herron Marshall, left the city for New York on Thursday evening. Mrs. Marshall, with the two young ladies, sail today on the Kronland for Antwerp. They will locate in Switzerland, where the daughters will enter a seminary. Mr. Marshall will return to Pittsburgh some time next week.

Start for Home Today.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Harden Church of South St. Clair street will begin their home voyage on board the St. Louis at Southampton today. Mr. and Mrs. Church have been in Europe for a short time, having made the journey across on the Kroonland. Their plans, on leaving, were to spend a week on the continent, then to go to England, where a number of social and business engagements had been made previous to their sailing.

Society at the Gardens Last Night.

Several box parties were given at Duquesne garden last evening. W. C. Temple entertained his weekly party; J. H. Montague was host to a party of six; Capt. J. H. Henderson also entertained the same number; J. H. McCurdy, J. H. Howell and their parties occupied boxes. This evening Thomas McMenn gives a box party and in the afternoon the Misses Scheib give a matinee party.

Dance at Kenwood Lawn.

D. Howard Agnew, Wallace P. Hartigan, Frank R. Forrest, Myron Jenning and James W. McAllister composed the committee in charge of the Vastine Cotillion's reception and dance at Kenwood lawn last evening. The Cotillion is a recently organized social club. The affair was very pretty, the girls in their light summer dresses making a very pretty scene under the lights.

Future Wedding in Homestead.

Mrs. Susan B. Gillmore has issued cards for the marriage of her daughter, Laura Belle Gillmore, and Jesse Burton Norris. The wedding will take place at the home of the bride on Wednesday evening, September 2. After an extended trip the young couple will go to housekeeping in their new home in McClure street, Homestead.

Pretty House Dance.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Crookston of Verona was the scene of a pretty house dance last evening in honor of Miss Ethel Crookston of the East End. The hostess was assisted by her daughter, Miss Helen Crookston. The guest list comprised the younger members of Oakmont and Verona society.

Christian Union Picnic.

The Young People's Christian union of the Eighth United Presbyterian church, Allegheny, will hold their 17th annual picnic in Riverview park this afternoon and evening. This yearly outing is one of the specialties returned if the social life of the organization and it is especially desired that all friends join with the union in making this affair a success, as to the established high standard.

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Notes of Society.

Arthur Hatfield of Seneca street is making a tour of the northern lakes.

Miss Olive Patterson of the East End is the guest of relatives in Sewickley.

Miss Sara Ormsby Eaton has returned from a visit to Atlantic City, where she was registered at Haddon Hall.

Capt. and Mrs. Mary McGuire of Liberty street have returned from New York, where they have passed the past week.

The members of the Iron City Fishing club, who have been in camp in the Georgian Bay district, Canada, since August 3, will return today.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ferris of Fayette street, Allegheny, and their family, who have been spending the summer in Sewickley, return to Allegheny today.

Miss Elizabeth Shutt of Allegheny has returned from a visit in the east. Miss Shutt visited at Atlantic City and in Brooklyn, where she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Young.

Miss Edith M. Stanton, daughter of the Rev. W. A. Stanton, D. D., goes to Granville, O., today, to become the secretary of Denison university. Last year she was assistant secretary of the Pennsylvania College for Women, where she was graduated in 1902.

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THE SUNDAY GAZETTE

Will, as usual, lead the procession tomorrow. In it you will find more to interest you, better articles and more of them than in all the rest combined. A few headings selected at random follow:

THE OLD SIXTH WARD, Birthplace of Statesmen.
This is a pictorial story of the most interesting section of Pittsburgh.

FACTS ABOUT THE GOVERNMENT CLERK.
L. W. Strayer writes of the inside workings of Washington department clerks.

DIANA OF THE TOWER
Interviewed by John Kendrick Bangs.

LAKE LUMBER TRAFFIC.
By W. Frank McClure.

MILITARY HONOR IN GERMANY.
By Baron Weiss.

THE SILLIEST STORY OF THE SEASON.
By George Sethel.

GEORGE GOULD AT HOME.
By Percy Linden Howard.

FISH IN PITTSBURGH.
By Thomas Seltzer.

CHINESE COOKS AND COOKING.
By W. B. Trites.

TRIALS OF A PROFESSIONAL GIRL.
By Grace Anna McKenzie.

THE HAUGHTY DAME.
By Colonel Kute.

THE WORLD OF FASHION,
By Mary Shaw.

PLANTATION LEGENDS.
By Martha Young.

CAN MAN MANUFACTURE GOLD?
By Henry Leslie.

EPIDEMIC OF BREACH OF PROMISE.
By Dorothy Dix.

And don't forget the great comics, the best printed anywhere, including, this week:

A WHIZ WAGON IN COON HOLLOW.
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LADY BOUNTIFUL AND THE FREAKS.
MOTHER'S PRECIOUS FALLS DOWN A CHIMNEY.
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FAILURE TO WED CHARGED IN SUIT

Allegheny Contractor Is Defendant in an Action for Breach of Promise.

ASSAULT IS ALSO ALLEGED

Equity Suit to Restrain Delivery of Certain Stock Filed Against William C. Clark, D. C. Bradner and the Union Trust Company.

Four suits, all associated with an alleged breach of promise to marry, were entered yesterday by Attorney George H. Quail for Alice F. Flinn against Frank S. Stalder, an Allegheny contractor. Damages to the amount of $10,000 are asked for Stalder's alleged failure to marry her according to an agreement entered into last March. In June she asked him to abide by his promise and marry, which he has refused to do.

A second suit for $5,000 damages is based on an alleged attack on the plaintiff by the defendant on August 15, 1901, when she was his housekeeper at No. 2627 Perrysville avenue, Allegheny. It is alleged her jaw was fractured and that she suffered other injuries as a result of the assault.

A third suit is for $813, alleged to be due her for services as housekeeper and nurse to defendant's invalid wife before her death. The last suit is to replevin some furniture and other articles, which she alleges are hers, but in the home of the defendant.

A bill in equity, involving a stock transaction, was filed in common pleas court No. 1 by Sumner A. Ely and Charles C. Dickinson against William C. Clark, David C. Bradner and the Union Trust Company. The court is asked to restrain the trust company from delivering certain stock to the defendants and it is asked that a discovery of a transaction be made.

The plaintiffs declare they obtained an option from Clark & Bradner on 550 shares of stock of the Weed Distilling and Manufacturing Company and what bonds were due them from the company, and under the agreement the plaintiffs paid Clark & Bradner $10,000. It was agreed, it is said, that the trust company should act as depository, consequently it became the duty of Clark & Bradner to deposit bonds to the par value of $10,000. It is alleged a request was made to them to deposit the bonds, but they refused to do this, and on the contrary, have demanded the return of the 550 shares of stock from the trust company and threaten to convert the same to their own use.

LEGAL BRIEFS.

An execution was issued by David M. Alston against Daniel S. and Emma Donahue, for $2,500 $0.

Samuel M. Houston took out letters of administration on the estate of Thomas Houston. The Land Title & Trust Company has charge of the estate.

Little Ord has taken out letters of administration, with the will annexed, on the estate of Ralph Ord. Attorney Charles Hamilton has charge of the estate.

Letters of administration have been granted to C. L. Levin on the $5,000 estate of Esther Eschrich, late of Pittsburgh. Attorney H. Q. Turner represents the executor.

Decrees in divorce were granted in the cases of J. Wylie Gill against Alberta Gill, on the grounds of desertion, and Lillian F. Hillman against Frank G. Hillman, for infidelity.

Rosa A. Glasser and others have filed suits against the Glenwood Railroad Company to recover $38,000 damages for property taken by the defendant company in the Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh.

Charles F. Harris, a wholesale liquor dealer at No. 3706 Forbes street, has filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States district court. His liabilities aggregate $13,170 51, and his assets $12,169 85.

The final account of M. E. Johnson, trustee, to make sale of the real estate of John J. McCaffrey, has been filed. He charges himself with $8,000, the proceeds of the sale, and after various payments reports a balance of $4,157 50.

John J. Graham has brought suit against the American Bridge Company to recover $5,000 damages for injuries received while at work on the Wabash bridge near Woodville avenue. A barrel fell from the bridge on the plaintiff, breaking his right wrist.

In common pleas court No. 1 the trial list will be filed Friday afternoon, September 4, and the jury trials will commence on September 14, 1903. The equity trial, equity argument, general argument and new trial lists will be taken up Tuesday, September 8.

The final account of Charles Goetzinger, executor of the estate of Christopher Geiger, deceased, has been filed with the register of wills. He charges himself with the amount of the inventory filed, $27,856 79, or a total charge of $29,662 52, and asks credit for $11,127 17.

An answer was filed by John E. Morrow to the rule granted upon him to show cause why he should not pay Annis Morrow, alimony and counsel fees, pending the divorce proceedings against him. Morrow denies that his wife is in destitute circumstances and alleges that she has appropriated all of the household goods and that she is concealing their child from him.

THE THREE RIVERS.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, O., Aug. 28.—The stage of the river at 6 p. m. today was 5.1 feet and stationary. All packets in and out as usual. Captain Theodore Buckles, aged 51, a veteran steamboat carpenter, who was on the several Bonanzas for many years, died today at the marine hospital.

LOUISVILLE.—River stationary; in canal, 3.8 feet; on falls, 1.1 feet; below locks, 5 feet.

WHEELING.—River, 3 feet 2 inches and rising.

STEUBENVILLE.—River, 7 feet 5 inches and rising.

GREENSBORO.—River, 6.2 feet and stationary.

WARREN.—River, 7 feet 10 inches.

OIL CITY.—River, 3 feet 2 inches and stationary.

PARKERSBURG.—River, 2.6 feet and falling.

MARIETTA.—River, 2.8 feet and stationary.

GALLIPOLIS.—River, 3 feet and stationary.

TROUBLES ON EXCURSIONS.

Rise Will Free Water of Destructive Substances.

The excursion boats are having their troubles. The Mayflower burned out one of her boilers Thursday night, and repairs were being made on her yesterday. The Francis Torrance was compelled to remain at the wharf Wednesday night, the her dynamo broke down and the electric light plant was put out of business. Thursday night the crowd of excursionists that returned on the boat about 11 o'clock had to wait an hour and a half before they could land on account of the heavy downpour of rain. Several steamers are being repaired in Pittsburgh and at other places. In a great many instances the falls in the water caused them to lay up. The present rise will clear out the river of the harmful substances and fewer complaints will be made for the next few weeks.

Arrivals.

Columbia, Demaine, Morgantown.
Edgar Cherry, Abrams, Brownsville.

Departures.

J. C. Woodward, Williams, Morgantown.
Edgar Cherry, Abrams, Brownsville.

River Notes.

At 9 o'clock last night the marks on the gauge at the Davis Island dam indicated a stage of 8.3 feet and the river was rising.

The Harvester of the Budd Coal Company is returning from Cincinnati with a tow of empties.

Capt. J. M. Hammett is at Jeffersonville looking after the construction of the new towboat being built by the Howards for the Jutte Coal Company.

Work on raising the Annie Roberts was resumed yesterday afternoon. It is thought the boat will be landed on the ways at McKeesport by Monday.

The Woodward was the Morgantown packet to leave yesterday. She passed through a heavy rainstorm yesterday morning, but no damage was done.

Members of Harbor No. 25, Masters' and Pilots' association, are wondering what will become of their excursion next Wednesday if they all have to go out on this rise. Most all of the capitals and piers have berths with the local coal companies, and they will be necessarily away next Wednesday.

The Farmers Deposit Savings bank, corner Fifth avenue and Wood street, opens for business Saturday, August 29. Why not be one of its first depositors? Saturday until 9 p. m. 4 per cent interest paid.

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Exercises Tomorrow at New Home of St. John's Congregation in Lawrenceville.

SOME FINE SPECIAL MUSIC

Friendship Park M. E. Church to Renew Evening Services—Many Pastors Returning—Doings In Local Religious Circles.

St. John the Baptist's church in Liberty avenue, near Thirty-sixth street, will be dedicated tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Pontifical high mass will be celebrated at 10:30 by the Right Rev. J. F. Regis Canevin, the Rev. Francis Keane of the Sacred Heart church, and the Rev. T. Tomacewski. The Rev. Joseph Suehr of Peter and Paul's church, will preach the morning sermon. Services will also be held in the evening at 7:30. A large choir composed of some of the best-known singers in the city, under the leadership of Mrs. Charles Mitchell, will render a special musical program. The new church, when completed, will cost $100,000. The Rev. E. M. McKeever is pastor of the congregation, which consists of about 850 families.

The Friendship Park Methodist Episcopal church, Liberty avenue and Mathilda street, the Rev. R. J. McKee, pastor, will renew its Sunday evening services tomorrow with a special musical program. The program arranged for: Prelude, orchestra; anthem, choir; violin solo, Prof. Erecksen; soprano solo, Miss Ada Johnston; cornet solo, Mr. White; soprano and tenor duett, Miss Kunkel and Ellis Payne; offertory, orchestra; soprano solo, Mrs. C. L. Snyder; anthem, choir; violin solo, Prof. Erecksen; soprano and baritone duet, Mrs. Snyder and C. H. Lutz; cornet solo, Mr. White; contralto solo, Miss Nellie Folsom; postlude, orchestra.

The Rev. Ford C. Ottman, D. D., of Stamford, Conn., will preach in the East Liberty Presbyterian church tomorrow at both services.

The Rev. J. A. Stevenson, pastor of the Brighton Road Presbyterian church, will preach his farewell sermon to his congregation tomorrow. Mr. Stevenson will go to Mississippi to take charge of the Mary Holmes Female seminary.

After a nine-weeks' vacation on his Virginia plantation Dr. D. C. Martin, pastor of the East End Reformed Presbyterian church, will occupy his pulpit tomorrow. Dr. Martin will preach on Paul and the Romans in the morning and "Glorying the Gospel" in the evening.

The services in West park, Allegheny, tomorrow evening at 6:40 will be conducted by the Rev. A. H. Kaylor, who has had charge of the evangelistic work in the Presbyterian tents this summer. Leon Prevost, cornetist, and Miss Mary P. Denham will render solos.

The Rev. J. A. Johnson, pastor of the Birmingham Methodist Protestant church, will preach his farewell sermon to his congregation tomorrow. Poor health of Mrs. Johnson made it necessary for Mr. Johnson to give up his charge on the South Side.

Last Excursion to Atlantic City, September 3d, Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Tickets good 16 days. Fare, $10 round trip; $2 additional for tickets good in parlor or sleeping cars, in connection with regular Pullman tickets. Special train will leave Pittsburgh 8 a. m. and 6:30 and 9 p. m. on above date. Secure tickets in advance at city ticket office, corner Fifth avenue and Wood street.

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Last $5.00 Excursion August 29 To Niagara Falls Via Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Ry.

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GIRL wanted for general housework. 3204 Perrysville ave., Allegheny.

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ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

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By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Allegheny county, Pa., No. 190 March term, 1903. In the estate of Mrs. Ivy Taylor (a widow), deceased, for the payment of debts, I will on Thursday, September 3, 1903, at 11 o'clock a. m., on the premises, expose to public sale that certain lot in the borough of Braddock, Pa., being No. 2 in section 18 of Henning & Redman plan for Fish Dock, as recorded, beginning on the southerly side of Braddock ave. at the northeasterly corner of lot No. 1 and distant 40 ft. eastwardly from Ninth st., and extending thence southwardly along Braddock ave. 40 ft., and back southwardly between parallel lines at right angles from said avenue, preserving same width as in front throughout 120 feet or more to Pine alley, upon which is erected a 2-story brick building known as No. 902 Braddock ave., and Nos. 904 and 906 Braddock ave. (See D. B. 243, p. 93, to Mrs. Ivy Seawell, afterwards Mrs. Ivy Taylor, the decedent). The sale is made subject to the payment of a purchase money mortgage held by the vendors for $10,000 (see Mortgage Book No. 437, page 457, and vol. 162, page 114). Terms of sale: Cash upon delivery of deed. Ten per cent of the bid must be paid at time of sale. John A. Wilson, administrator. Geo. P. Wilson, attorney, 1421 Park building, A. J. Pentecost, auctioneer.

MEETINGS.

Office of
MOOSE BREWING COMPANY,
No. 69 South 16th st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

NOTICE—A special meeting of the stockholders of the Moose Brewing Company will be held at the office of the company, No. 69 South 16th st., Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, on the 16th day of November, 1903, at 10 o'clock p. m., to take action upon the proposed increase of the capital stock of said company from $100,000 to $150,000.
E. M. PRUGH, Secretary.

MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the American Natural Gas Company will be held at the office of the company, 1209 Park building, Pittsburgh, at 2 p. m., Tuesday, September 1, 1903.
HENRY WITTMER, Secretary.

MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Imperial Natural Gas Company will be held at the office of the company, 1209 Park building, Pittsburgh, at 2 p. m., Tuesday, September 1, 1903.
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POINT BREEZE—Fifth and Penn avenues, W. J. Patton—11, John M. Patton, D. D., of Central Presbyterian church, St. Paul, Minn.

THIRD, Pittsburgh, Fifth and South Negley avenues, William L. McEwan, D. D.—11 and 8, usual services.

HAZELWOOD, Lytle and Lowry streets, John M. Gamble—10:45, S. A. Cutler of Bartlesville, O.

United Presbyterian.

SIXTH, Pittsburgh, North Highland avenue and Center street, Robert M. Russell, D. D.—11 "Looking Unto Jesus." George Ernest Hays.

SHADYSIDE, Center avenue and Cypress st., E. P. Speer—11, Pa. D.—11 and 7:45.

C. C. Kistler of Allegheny, Pa.

SEVENTH, Allegheny, California avenue, near Halsey place, C. W. MacDonald—10:30, "The Glorious Gospel."

THIRD, Pittsburgh, Diamond and Ross streets, J. T. McCrory—10:45, "The Lament of a Disappointed Worker."

TENTH, Allegheny, Second and Main streets, Huber Ferguson—7:45, "The Two Christian Spirit."

KNOXVILLE, W. H. McMurray—11, "Good Man in Judea"; 7:45, "The Book That Will Last."

NORTH END, Perrysville avenue, Allegheny, E. C. Doyle—11, W. R. Doyle.

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SECOND, Pittsburgh, Penn and Braddock avenues, W. F. Stroud, D. D.—11, "Impressions of Personal Holiness," fourth in series on "Be Ye Holy"; 8, "The All-Wise Counsellor."

FIRST, Pittsburgh, Shady avenue and Aurelia street, J. Boyd Hardie—11 and 8, usual services.

Reformed Presbyterian.

ALLEGHENY, Sandusky and Ninth Diamond streets, W. R. Wallace—11, "Building Self to God"; 8, "Christ Receiving What He Took Not Away."

EAST END, Highland avenue and Harvard street, D. C. Martin, D. D.—10:30, "Paul to the Romans"; 7:45, "Glorifying in the Gospel."

Methodist Episcopal.

FRIENDSHIP PARK, Liberty avenue and Mathilda street, Allegheny, R. J. McKee, D. D.—10:30, "Christ to You the Hope of Glory." 7:45, special music.

SIMPSON, Liberty street, near Chestnut, Allegheny, J. M. Pascoe—10:45, "The Self-Sufficiency of Divine Grace"; 7:30, usual service.

SMITHFIELD STREET, Smithfield and Seventeenth avenue, W. H. Boaz, D. D.—11, "What Is a Christian?" 8, "Bible Doors."

DUQUESNE HEIGHTS, Grande and Spaniards streets, Harry M. Chalfant—10:45, "The Call of Jeremiah"; 7:45, Dr. T. N.

MODERATE INCREASE IN STOCK DEALINGS

The Standard Oil Specialties Were the Strongest, and the General Light Ruled Steady—Very Dull Day on the Local Board.

By JOHN O. SAGLIN, Financial Editor.

There was a moderate increase in the dealings on the New York stock exchange yesterday, the total sales reaching 293,000 shares. The opening was the dullest that has been witnessed for a long time. London quotations were irregular, and there was some hesitation which was ascribed to the prompt action of the United States government in connection with the reported assassination of its vice consul at Beirut. This rumor, however, had no appreciable effect upon the market here. The strongest stocks on the list were those which by common consent are classed as Standard Oil specialties. Dealings in Consolidated Gas were active and the stock made a six-point rise, advancing from 173 to 179. Anaconda Copper opened 3 per cent higher at 87 and advanced to 88¾, and Amalgamated Copper after opening ½ higher at 48¾, advanced to 50¾. Colorado Fuel & Iron, the latest Rockefeller specialty, opened higher at 52¾ and advanced to 54⅛. In the railroad group St. Paul was one of the strongest stocks, advancing from 140¾ to 142½. The comparative activity and strength of this group made the shorts a little nervous, and the covering in the remainder of the list gave the market a firm appearance in spite of the dullness. The Gould stocks were also higher, Missouri Pacific advancing to 94½ and Wabash preferred crossing 36. The Eries recovered a portion of the previous day's loss, the common crossing 30. Union Pacific, which was quoted ex-dividend of 2 per cent, opened firmer at 73⅞ and advanced to 75½. Pennsylvania rose 1½ per cent to 124⅞, and Baltimore & Ohio was fractionally higher at 82¾. The United States Steel stocks were moderately active and firm, advancing in the late dealings to 22⅞ for the common and to 71 for the preferred. As a rule the highest prices of the day were made just before the close.

The ease with which the market advanced, in the absence of any news, suggested a large and nervous short interest, which was influenced more by sentiment regarding the probable intentions of the dominant interest in the market than by anything else. The street was inclined to attach much importance to the Washington dispatch, referred to in this column yesterday, that Secretary Shaw stood ready to throw $40,000,000 additional deposits into the banks in case of need. It was in this week last year that the currency movement turned against the banks, and the current was uninterrupted for 11 successive weeks, the net shipments exceeding receipts by about $28,500,000 during that period. It is loosely estimated that the drafts made upon the banks this season for the same purpose will not exceed $35,000,000, and if this should pull down the surplus reserves to the vanishing point, or if monetary conditions should be such as to threaten hardship to commercial interests, it is thought Secretary Shaw would increase government deposits in banks. The unofficial announcement that the secretary has in contemplation a plan of the character described may be placed in the same category as the famous "faith cure" money pool that was formed by New York bankers last year. The discussion of the matter yesterday again demonstrates that Wall street is peculiarly susceptible to treatment known to the new cult as "suggestion." If the stock market remains as dull as at present there will be no money market problem to face this fall.

The known movements of money during the week indicate a net gain for the banks of $2,458,000, and expectations of a good bank statement today were based upon these figures. In the corresponding week a year ago the banks reported a decrease in loans of $8,647,000, a decrease in cash of about $3,000,000, and a decrease in surplus reserve of only $375, bringing the total surplus down to $9,742,775.

Grain markets were fairly active, but wheat closed a fraction lower. Some satisfaction was expressed over the exports of wheat and flour for the week, Bradstreet's reporting the total at 3,425,000 bushels. This is the largest total since last June, but is considerably below the exports for the corresponding week last year and the year before, when the export movement as well as the receipts at primary points were much larger than at present.

Yesterday was one of the dullest days of the year on the Pittsburgh stock exchange, the sale footing up only 2,625 shares of stock and $2,000 bonds. The largest total for any one stock was 700 shares Pittsburgh Coal common, which sold at the uniform price of 32¼, which was unchanged from the day before. Rumors as to the status of the pending deal were current in the street. They were somewhat conflicting and altogether lacking in official confirmation during market hours, and for that reason, probably, dealings in the stock fell off to the smallest for any day this week. Only 20 shares of the preferred stock changed hands at 83½, which was a slight gain over the last previous sale. There were no transactions in River Coal common, but there were bids of 10⅝ for 50s aggregating about 2,000 shares. The preferred sold unchanged at 37½. Crucible Steel was strong and in better demand than for some days past, the price advancing to and closing at 9⅞ bid. The preferred stock sold at 70¼ and 70½ and closed at 70⅝ bid. United States Steel common closed ⅜ higher at 22⅝ for the common and ¼ per cent higher at 70¼ for the preferred. For the first time in many days no sales of Westinghouse Electric were posted, the stock being quoted at 81¼ bid, 81½ asked. Airbrake was nominally quoted at 142⅜ bid, 145 asked. United States Glass sold at 35, an advance of 2½ points over the last previous sale. There were no sales of National Fire Proofing common, the stock closing without bid and offered at 20½. The preferred was ⅝ higher at 30⅜ at the close. Philadelphia Company declined a fraction to 39¾, while Manufacturers Light & Heat rallied ½ to 34 sales and bid. Ohio Fuel Supply was unchanged at 40. Pittsburgh Brewing declined ¼ for the common to 28¾, and the same amount on the preferred to 44½, possibly on the announcement of progress being made for the consolidation of the independent breweries in this district.

Only 25 shares all told of bank and trust company stocks changed hands, and the only change was an advance of a dollar a share on Federal National bank on the sale of 5 shares at 148. United States Steel new 5s sold at 79 an advance of ⅝ per cent over the last previous sale.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday included 2,625 shares stock and $2,000 bonds, distributed as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

10	Com. Trust	210	25 Brewing pfd. 45
30	Fire Proof pf.	30½	85 Brewing 29⅝
50	Crucible	9¾	5 do. 29¾
100	do.	9¾	10 do. 29⅞
20	do.	9⅞	50 U. S. Steel pfd 70
25	Crucible pfd.	70¼	50 do. 70
25	do.	70¼	50 Pgh. Coal 32¾
300	U. S. Glass	35	10 Pgh. Coal pfd. 83½
25	Brewing pfd.	44⅜	10 do. 84½

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

$2000	U. S. (s.f.) 5s	79	50 Mfrs. L. & H. 34
25	Pgh. Coal	32¾	60 U. S. Steel pf. 70¾
100	do.	32¾	10 Pgh. Coal pfd. 83½
50	do.	32¾	100 U. S. Steel 22⅝
75	do.	32¾	20 do. 22¾
100	Exch. Nat. B.	85	25 Mfrs. L. & H. 34
9	Crucible pfd.	70½	25 do. 34
1	do.	70½	

2 P. M. to 3 P. M.

50	Ohio Fuel	40	4 River Coal pf. 37½
5	Fed. Nat. B.	148	10 do. 37½
10	Fire Proof pf.	30¾	20 do. 37¾
50	do.	30½	50 do. 37¾
10	do.	30⅜	50 Crucible 9¾
1	River Coal pf.	37½	30 Brewing pfd. 44½

Summary.

	Shares.	High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Ch'ge.
100	Brewing	29⅜	29⅛	29⅛	−¼
80	Do preferred	45	44½	44½	−½
320	Crucible Steel	9¾	9⅝	9⅞	+⅛
150	Do preferred	70½	70¼	70⅝	0
150	Fire Proof. pfd	30⅝	30¼	30⅜	−⅛
150	Mfrs. L. & H.	34	34	34	−¼
20	Ohio Fuel	40	40	40	0
125	Phila. Co.	39¾	39¾	39¾	−⅛
700	Pgh. Coal	32¾	32¼	32¼	0
30	Do preferred	83½	83½	83½	+½
115	River Coal pfd	37½	37½	37½	0
200	U. S. Glass com	35	33	35	+2½
210	U. S. Steel	22⅝	22¼	22⅝	+⅜
160	Do preferred	70¼	70	70¾	+⅝
10	Com. R. E. & T.	210	210	210	0
19	Exchange N. B.	85	85	85	0
5	Federal N. B.	148	148	148	+1
2d5					
$2000	U. S. (S.F.) 5s	79	79	79	+⅝

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Stock Exchange.			
Pittsburgh Banks.			
Federal National	100	147½	148
Fifth Avenue	50	74	
Second National	100		350
Union National	100		1050
Pittsburgh Trust Companies.			
Real Estate Trust	100		265
Commonwealth	100	268	
Iron City Trust	100	135	
Allegheny City Banks.			
Allegheny Trust Co.	100	148	
Dep. Fund & Trust Co.	100		345
Natural Gas.			
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	34	34½
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	39¾	40¼
Electric Light.			
Westinghouse Elec.	50	82	
Do Ass'g.	50	81½	81⅝
Miscellaneous.			
Crucible Steel Co.	100	9⅞	10
Do preferred	100	70⅝	70¾
Marsden	100		21½
National Fire Proof	50		20¾
Do preferred	50	30⅛	30½
Philadelphia Co.	50	39¾	
Do preferred	50		44¼
U. S. Glass Co.	100	34	35
West. Air Brake Co.	50	142½	145
Harbison-Walker Co.	100		10
Do preferred	100		99

BONDS.	Exp.	Bid.	Ask.
Pass. Ry. & Traction.			
United Traction Co. 5s	1997	....	116
Railroad.			
P., McKees. & Con. 1st 5s	1931	....	93

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

STOCKS.	Par	Bid.	Ask.
Miscellaneous.			
Amer. Window Glass Co.	100	70	
Con. Ice Co. pfd	50	35	
Monon. R. C. & C. Co.	50	10⅝	10¾
Do preferred	50	37	38
Pgh. Brewing Co.	50	29⅜	30
Do preferred	50	44½	45
Pgh. Coal Co.	100	32¼	32½
Do preferred	100	83½	84
Pgh. Plate Glass Co.	100	123½	125
U. S. Steel Co.	100	22⅝	22¾
Do preferred	100	70¼	70½

FEATURES OF THE DAY.

IN PITTSBURGH.

Bank exchanges were $6,918,076, an increase of $407,000.

Stock exchange sales only 2,625 shares stock and $2,000 bonds.

Tone of the market firmer, despite the extreme dullness.

Electric closed at 81¼ bid, without a share changing hands.

Fire Proofing common offered at 20¼. Preferred firmer at 30½.

Pittsburgh Coal common unchanged at 32¼ and the preferred at 83½.

IN WALL STREET.

Total sales for the day were 293,600 shares.

Stock exchange sales only 2,625 shares stock and $2,000 bonds.

Tone of the market firmer, despite the extreme dullness.

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Fire Proofing common offered at 30¼. Preferred firmer at 30½.

Pittsburgh Coal common unchanged at 32¼ and the preferred at 83½.

BONDS.	Exp.	Bid.	Ask.
Pass. Ry. & Traction Co.			
Pgh., Allegheny & Manc. 5s	1939	....	115
Miscellaneous.			
Philadelphia Co. 5s	1949	109⅝	....
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	1949	119	....

NOTES AND COMMENT.

Despite the dullness the tone of the local stock market yesterday was steady to firm for the leading active shares. Steel stocks were higher, and there was evidence of an improvement in the demand. At one time during the day there were bids for 1,000 shares Crucible Steel common and for 2,000 shares River Coal common. Pittsburgh Coal was steady, the street being disposed to await the outcome of pending negotiations in connection with the company's affairs. It was admitted yesterday that these negotiations were in a forward shape and when the deal is finally closed and the announcement of the details made it is confidently predicted that the effect will be bullish on the stock. Some of the predictions made round optimistic to those who have no means of knowing the exact nature of the deal, but they are confidently made by those who are in a position to know what is in contemplation.

It has been many days since a session of the local stock board passed without a transaction in Westinghouse Electric, but there was none yesterday. The stock closed at 81¼ bid, 81½ asked.

Manufacturers Light and Heat rallied to and closed at 34. Ohio Fuel Supply was unchanged at 40 and Philadelphia Company sold at 39¾.

U. S. Glass common rallied 2½ points to 35 on the sale of 200 shares. There is no doubt that the proposition for the retirement of the preferred stock will be adopted, which will clear the way for dividends on the common.

The strength in the eastern market was not so much due to the character of buying as to lack of pressure to sell. It was the general impression that the short interest had been increased this week.

The Northwest yearly statement shows a surplus of $525,000, as against $1,345,000 last year.

It is thought the short interest in Atchison and St. Paul is very extensive, and the advance in these stocks was largely due to short covering.

The surplus earnings of Hocking Valley for July increased $7,221.

The report of American Locomotive for the year ended June 30 compares as follows:

	1903. (12 mos.)	(12½ mos.) 1902.
Gross earnings	$33,105,725	$26,868,394
Expenses	28,032,533	23,331,217
Net	$ 5,065,419	$ 3,107,177
Int., bills pay., etc.	248,187	165,865
Balance	$ 4,815,253	$ 2,941,312
Preferred dividends	1,750,000	1,750,000
Surplus	$ 3,065,253	$ 1,251,312
Additions to property	1,142,932	1,027,077
Surplus	$ 1,612,321	$ 224,235
Previous surplus	527,253	
Profit and loss surplus	$ 2,138,556	$ 224,235

A representative of American Smelting and Refining says that the advance in the price of silver is partly due to a heavy demand in India and partly to the existence of considerable short interest in the metal. It is stated that Federal Smelting and Refining will work in harmony with the American company, and that the latter will treat its ores.

Bank Notes Redeemed

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—National bank notes received today for redemption, $987,212. Government receipts from internal revenue, $1,100,000; from miscellaneous, $61,-856; expenditures, $1,300,000.

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

Bowerman and Dunn are now enjoying the satisfaction of proving what they have always claimed for the Independent rich vein, being down on it 55 feet with the shaft started some days ago, says a Colorado Springs dispatch to the Denver News. The ore for 27 in continuous richness of the ore remains unchanged and in going this distance fully two tons of ore have been taken out that will go from $30,000 to $40,000 per ton in gold. Practically all of the mineral now being taken from the 55 ft shaft is ore running from $20 to $100 per ton, besides the very rich quartz. The tunnel being driven in from the bottom of the hill to cap this rich vein is in 50 feet, such has developed a two-foot vein of gold-bearing quartz. The operators believe this quarry will develop into one big mine, especially as opened above before many days. Practically the same vein has been opened in the tunnel on the Independent 300 ft at less than 15 feet from the surface. It also shows gold values.

Never in the history of the Boundary country has so much been shipped in any given seven days as during the last week. The ores sent out from eight mines ran over 16,000 tons. The following were the shipments: By Granby mines to the Granby smelter, 7,500 tons; Snowshoe to Sunset smelter, 2,160; Mother Lode mine to Greenwood smelter, 4,540; Sunset to Sunset smelter, 400; Emma to Trail smelter, 561; Oro Denoro to Sunset smelter, 600; Athelstan to Sunset smelter, 150; total shipments for week, 16,500 tons. Total Boundary shipments for year to date, 377,045 tons. The Granby smelter last week treated 7,800 tons of ore, or 211,986 tons for the year.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Aug 28.—Spot tin declined £1 7s 6d in London, closing at £125 2s 6d, while futures there were £1 lower at £125 5s. Locally tin was lower, also being influenced by the cables and somewhat freer offerings. Spot closed at $27.45. Copper was unchanged in London at £58 5s for spot and £58 2s 6d for futures. The copper market in New York continues quiet and more or less nominal. Lake is quoted at 12½@12¾ cents; electrolytic is held at $13 62½@13 75, and casting at $13 37½@13 50. Lead was unchanged at £11 2s 6d in London, and here was firm at $4 25. Spelter was unchanged at £21 2s locally and $6 00 in New York. Iron closed at 51s 9d in Glasgow and at 44s 10½d in Middlesboro. Locally iron was unchanged. No. 1 foundry, northern, is quoted at $17 50@18 00; No. 2 foundry, $16 50@17 00. No. 1 foundry, southern, and No. 1 foundry, southern soft, at $16 50@16 75.

PITTSBURGH INDUSTRIAL EXCHANGE.

Sales yesterday:

Shares.

60 Pgh. & Indiana Oil & Gas 19.50
310 Empire State Oil .65½
500 Columbus Consolidated .05
200 Black Diamond 5.50
Closing quotations.

STOCKS.	Bid.	Asked.
Aurora G. M. Oregon	....	.03
Black Diamond Copper	3.12½	2.50
Black Hills Copper Arts.	....	.01
Bitter Creek	....	.05
Bulls of Thunder Mountain	....	2.00
Copper Glance	....	.45
Colonial Copper	.20	.03
Columbus Cons. G. M.	.50	.07
Cal. King Gold	....	.90
Cracker Oregon	....	.01
Duquesne, M.	....	.30
Ethel Cons. Mines pfd	....	5.75
Federal I. Z. & S.	....	.15
Forest	....	.25
Hidden Fortune	.20½	.29
Homestake, S. D.	75.00	....
Horseshoe, S. D. pfd	....	.31
Mina La Motte	8.50	9.12½
Majestic Copper	1.20	2.25
Mineral Creek	....	.03
Mountain Boy	....	.15
Nonpareil	....	12½
North American Copper	....	55.00
Oregon Securities	....	.21
Par Value	.10	.11
Pittsburgh & Montana Cop.	....	.15
Pgh. Cons. Si. M. & T.	.15	4.00
Person Cons. C. & G. M.	....	1.18
Spearfish, D. M. pfd	....	.60
Stony Peak	.18	.45
Starlight C. G. M. & M.	....	.03
Sierra M. & M.	....	.03
Tennessee Consolidated	....	.06
Tombstone Bond	....	100.00
Tombstone Mod. & Mach.	....	100.00
Thunder Mt. G. & S. M.	....	.03
Thunder Mt. Gold King	....	.03
Trade Dollar	....	.03
Tidewater common	....	.03
Tidewater pfd. A	....	.10
Verde King	....	.03
Verde Grande	....	.03
Vintage G. M.	14½	.15
Wisconsin Nautical Copper	....	.01
West Gold Hill	....	.03
Winner L. & Z.	....	.03
Lead Mines Co. of Arizona	....	.03
Telegraphic Petroleum	....	.60
Empire State Oil	60.00	....
Pgh. & Ind. Oil & Gas	19.50	20.50
American Cotton Prod.	....	.25
Imperial Lithographing pfd.	....	95.00
Colonial Lithographing pfd.	....	....
Independent Fire Works pfd	....	90.00
Para Rubber	2.50	5.00
Pgh. Life & Trust	....	150.00
Schilling Printing	....	40.00

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. S. Masten & Co.)

Stocks.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bids.
Allouez	6	6	6	6½
Adventure	....	....	....	23
Arcadian	....	....	....	6
Black Diamond	5⅞	5⅞	....	6
Bingham	....	....	....	50
Calumet & Ariz.	136½	136½	136½	136
Calumet & Hecla	....	....	....	411
Calumet & Kerr.	65	65	65	65
Centennial	21	21	21	21½
Calumet & Pah.	....	....	....	12½
Daly West	....	....	....	20
Franklin	....	....	....	6
L. Sup. & Pgh. Dev.	....	....	....	1
Majestic	2	....	....	2
Mass	....	....	....	1
Michigan	....	....	....	1
Mont. & Boston	....	....	....	1
Osceola	61	63	61	61
Old Dominion	....	....	....	30
Old Colony	....	....	....	47
Parrot	....	....	....	21
Phoenix	....	....	....	1
Pgh. & Duluth	5½	5½	....	5½
Quincy	....	....	....	150
Range Consolidated	66	66	66	66
Rhode Island	....	....	....	1
Seneca	....	....	....	1
Shannon	....	....	....	1
Trimountain	....	....	....	50
Trinity	....	....	....	15
Tamarack	....	....	....	60
United Profit	54	54	54	55
Utah	....	....	....	10
U. S. Mine	30	30	30	30
Victoria	....	....	....	1
Wolverine & Arts.	....	....	....	1
Winona	....	....	....	1
Wyandotte & Aztec	....	....	....	1
Junction	....	....	....	13

*Bid. †Asked.

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con.	.10	Little Chief	.08
Alice	.17	Ontario	4.30
Brunswick Con.	.13	Ophir	.75
Brunswick Con.	.07	Potosi	.15
Comstock Tunnel	.04	Potosi	....
Con. Cal. & Va.	1.25	Savage	.10
Horn Silver	1.75	Sierra Nevada	.35
Iron Silver	1.15	Small Hopes	.25
Leadville Con.	.03	Standard	1.15

*Offered.

THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market remains steady at firm at 6 per cent on call and time loans. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$6,218,076 66	$1,192,702 74
Last week	31,227,413 61	6,941,476 49
Last year	5,811,403 21	872,005 32

Banks and the Treasury.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Special.—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the San Francisco and Seattle assay offices, which have been received at the sub-treasury paid out yesterday $235,000, of this amount $4,000 had been deposited at San Francisco and $231,104 at Seattle. These items paid since $4,744,000 gold has been received for the same period a week ago. Total payments by government to New York banks for the day $2,000,000. Payment by banks to government $1,027,000. Net payments on account of transactions, $100,000, paid by banks to government. Total net payments by government on account of gold $427,000, against $7,044,000 similarly paid for the week preceding and a week ago, and $5,613,000 paid by banks to government a year ago.

Call Money Easy.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Money to call easy at 1½@2 per cent; last loan 2 per cent. Time money easier; 60 days, 4½@5 per cent; 90 days, 5@5½ per cent; six months, 5@5½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 6@6½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 85 50 for 60-day bills and at $4 87 15@4 87 30 for demand. Posted rates, $4 84½ and $4 87½. Commercial bills, $4 80. Bar silver, 50½c. Mexican dollars, 44½c.

COMPLETE RECORD NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Brandt & Co., Pittsburgh Stock Exchange building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago Board of Trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
24,200	Atch., T. & S. F.	87⅝	87⅝	87⅛	87⅜
100	Do preferred	96	96	96	96
	American Car	....	....	....	39
	Do preferred	....	....	....	90
700	Am. Sugar Ref.	135	136½	134½	136
	Do preferred	....	....	....	116
200	Am. Locomotive	29	29½	29	29½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	94
900	Am. Tel. & Cable	93	93½	92½	93
	Do preferred	....	....	....	....
	American Cot.	....	....	....	27
	Do preferred	....	....	....	90
43,715	Am. Smelting	85½	89¾	85½	89¾
4,400	Anaconda Copper	87	88¾	87	88¾
	Atl. Coast L.	....	....	....	120
	Am. Steel & W.	....	....	....	34
700	Do preferred	95½	96	95½	96
	Am. Woolen	....	....	....	24
	Do preferred	....	....	....	90
4,400	Baltimore & Ohio	82¾	83	82¾	82¾
200	Do preferred	....	....	....	94
2,300	Brooklyn R. T.	67½	68¼	67½	68
200	Chesapeake & O.	44	44	43	43
2,100	Chicago & Alton	37	37½	36½	36½
	Chicago & G. W.	....	....	....	18
	Chicago, Ind. & L.	....	....	....	45
	Chicago, Ind. & L. pfd	....	....	....	94
4,600	Chicago, Mil. & St. P.	175	175	173	173
	Do preferred	....	....	....	183
	Chicago & N. W.	....	....	....	210
	Chicago, R. I. & P.	146	146	145	145
	Chicago, R. I. & P. pfd	....	....	....	94
	Chicago & Southern	....	....	....	70
	Chicago Term. & Trans.	....	....	....	11
	Chicago Term. & Trans. pfd	....	....	....	30
	Colorado Fuel & Iron	52½	54⅛	52½	54
	Colorado Southern	....	....	....	24
	Do 1st pfd	....	....	....	57
	Do 2d pfd	....	....	....	38
	Del. & Hudson	....	....	....	170
100	Del., L. & Western	390	390	390	390
	Denver & Rio Grande	37	37½	36½	36½
	Do preferred	87	87	87	87
	Erie	29½	30	29½	29½
	Do 1st pfd	67	67	66½	66½
	Do 2d pfd	57	57	56½	56½
	Hocking Valley	....	....	....	70
	Do preferred	....	....	....	90
1,000	Illinois Central	132	132	131	131
	Iowa Central	....	....	....	20
	Do preferred	....	....	....	50
	Kansas City So.	....	....	....	25
	Do preferred	....	....	....	57
	Lake Erie & W.	....	....	....	20
	Do preferred	....	....	....	70
400	Lake Shore	204	204	203	203
1,000	Louisville & Nash.	124½	125	124	124
2,100	Manhattan L.	154	154	153	153
1,200	Metropol. Traction	168	168	167	167
	Mexican Central	....	....	....	19
1,200	Minn. & St. Louis	142	142	141	141
	Do preferred	....	....	....	90
	Missouri Pacific	94	94½	93½	94
200	M., K. & T.	42	42	41	41
	Do preferred	77	77	77	77
	Mobile & Ohio	114	114½	114	114½
	Monongahela	....	....	....	145
	Nashville & Chat.	144½	144½	144½	144½
	National Lead	....	....	....	44
	Do preferred	....	....	....	110
	National Biscuit	....	....	....	44
	Do preferred	....	....	....	120
	National Steel	....	....	....	45
	Do preferred	....	....	....	94
2700	N. Y. Central	134½	135	134½	134½
	N. Y., Ont. & W.	....	....	....	47
2700	N. Y. Central	134½	135	134½	134½
	Norfolk & Western	....	....	....	70
	Do preferred	....	....	....	90
	Northern Pacific	124	124½	123½	124
	Ontario & Western	....	....	....	47
	Pacific Coast	....	....	....	70
	Do 1st pfd	....	....	....	90
	Do 2d pfd	....	....	....	80
	Pacific Mail	43	43	42½	42½
	Pennsylvania	124½	125	124½	124½
	Pittsburgh, C. C. & St. L.	....	....	....	90
	Pittsburgh & W.	....	....	....	24
	Do preferred	....	....	....	50
	Pressed Steel Car	....	....	....	30
	Do preferred	....	....	....	80
	Pullman Palace	....	....	....	210
	Reading	....	....	....	85
	Do 1st pfd	....	....	....	90
	Do 2d pfd	....	....	....	80
11,000	Rock Island	28½	28½	28½	28½
	Do preferred	65	65	65	65
1,000	St. L. & S. F.	24	24	24	24
	Do 1st pfd	....	....	....	70
	Do 2d pfd	....	....	....	60
1,000	St. L. & S. W.	25	25	25	25
	Do preferred	....	....	....	50
	Southern Pacific	59½	59½	59	59
	Southern Railway	....	....	....	24
	Do preferred	....	....	....	70
	Tennessee Coal & I.	....	....	....	70
10,000	Texas & Pacific	29	29	28½	28½
	Toledo, St. L. & W.	....	....	....	24
	Do preferred	....	....	....	50
	Twin City Rapid Transit	....	....	....	110
	Union Pacific	73½	75½	73½	75½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	90
	U. S. Leather	8	8	8	8
	Do preferred	....	....	....	70
200	U. S. Rubber	12	12	12	12
	Do preferred	....	....	....	50
	U. S. Steel	....	....	....	22
4,300	Do preferred	69½	71	69½	71
25,000	Union Pacific	....	....	....	94½
	Va.-Carolina Chem.	....	....	....	30
	Do preferred	....	....	....	90
	Wabash	....	....	....	20
5,000	Do preferred	35½	36	35½	36
	Western Maryland	....	....	....	30
	Wheeling & L. E.	....	....	....	6
	Do 1st pfd	....	....	....	30
	Do 2d pfd	....	....	....	10
	Wisconsin Central	....	....	....	20
	Do preferred	....	....	....	50
	Wells-Fargo Express	....	....	....	240
	Total sales, 293,600 shares.				

INACTIVE LIST.

200	Am. Ice	5½	5½	5½	5½
100	Am. Linseed	25	25	25	25
600	Do preferred	55	55	54½	54½

CLOSING BOND OFFERS.

U. S. reg. 2s, reg.	106½	Mex. Cent. 1st 4s	87
U. S. coup. 2s	106½	Do 2d inc.	27
U. S. reg. 3s	107	Mo. Pac. 4s	94
U. S. coup. 3s	107	Mo., K. & T. gen. 4s	94
U. S. reg. 4s, reg.	138½	N. Y. C. gen. 3½s	100
U. S. coup. 4s	138½	N. Y. C. 6s	130
U. S. reg. 5s, reg.	107½	Nor. & W. con. 4s	100
U. S. coup. 5s	107½	Nor. Pac. 3s	73
Atchison gen. 4s	102½	Nor. Pac. 4s	104
Atchison adj. 4s	90	Ohio River 5s	102
Do inc.	80	Or. Short Line 5s	120
Balt. & Ohio 4s	102½	Or. Nav. 4s	100
Do 3½s	94	Penn. gen. 4½s	107
Beech Creek 4s	100	Penn. con. 4s	104
Do 3½s	94	Penn. con. 3½s	98
Can. Pac. 4s	100	Reading gen. 4s	96
Cent. of Ga. 5s	113	Rock Island 4s	90
Do inc.	80	St. L. & I. M. con. 5s	110
Cent. of N. J. 6s	140	St. L. & S. F. gen. 6s	120
Ches. & Ohio 4½s	104	St. L. & S. W. 1st 4s	94
Chi. & Alton 3½s	85	Do 2d inc.	70
Chi., B. & Q. 4s	102	Southern Pac. 4s	94
Chi., Ind. & L. 4s	90	Southern Ry. 5s	110
Chi., M. & St. P. gen. 4s	102	Tex. & Pac. 1st 5s	120
Chi., R. I. & P. 4s	102	Tex. & Pac. 2d 5s	50
Chi. & E. Ill. 6s	120	Union Pac. 4s	104
Chi. & N. W. gen. 3½s	100	Union Pac. conv. 4s	104
Chi. & N. W. gen. 7s	140	Union Pac. 1st 6s	120
Chi. & N. W. sub. 4s	104	Union Pac. land gr. 4s	104
Chi. & N. W. sub. 7s	140	Union Pac. col. 4s	104
Chi. & N. W. sub. 5s	140	Wabash 1st 5s	120
Chi. & N. W. sub. 6s	140	Wabash 2d 5s	110
Chi. & N. W. sub. 6s	140	Wabash deb. B.	70
Chi. & N. W. sub.

SIXTH AVENUE DEAL PENDING

Friedman and Rosenthal Holdings Between Wylie and Fifth Avenues Are Wanted.

D. J. KENNEDY RESIDENCE SOLD

Large Sale in Federal Street, Allegheny. Liberty Avenue Home Finds New Owner — Seventeenth Ward Realty Transaction.

Negotiations are on for the transfer of a property in Sixth avenue, owned by Friedman and Rosenthal, which, when concluded will involve about $35,000. The property in question is known as No. 343 Sixth avenue, and lies between Wylie and Fifth avenues, the lot measuring 24x140 feet. There are three buildings, two brick dwelling houses and one brick store building, the latter being in front and the dwellings in the rear. C. C. Hamilton is conducting the deal, but so far the name of the purchaser has not been made known.

D. J. Kennedy has sold his residence property in the Twentieth ward to A. E. Bedford, for $12,000. It is located in the west side of Denniston avenue, north of Arabella street, the lot measuring 45x110 feet, on which is erected a fine brick dwelling house. Mr. Kennedy is building a new home in another part of the East End.

Cooper & McAllister, for the James Buchanon heirs, sold yesterday to A. L. Lovejoy a two-story brick dwelling and lot 18x110 feet, at No. 512 Federal street, Allegheny, for $53,000, between Park way and South Diamond street.

Quick Exchange and Profit.

The Land Title and Trust Company sold for Frank A. Murdock to W. G. Ryan a frame house, lot 25x80 feet, No. 5175 Liberty avenue, in the Twentieth ward, for $5,800. The property was purchased by the seller in the present deal, through Gault & Giffen, for $5,300 three months ago.

Joseph Kowalewski sold to Joseph Grabowsky an improved lot, 26x109 feet, at the corner of Plumer and Forty-sixth streets, Seventeenth ward, for $5,000.

Simon S. Smith sold to A. J. Puffinburg an improved lot, 20x103 feet, on the south side of Avondale place, Nineteenth ward, for $7,000.

August C. Keepke sold to Frederick Kamke a lot, 20x100 feet, in Harmer street, Thirteenth ward, for $1,000.

Hugh Kennedy sold to John L. Ketter two improved lots, each 20x100 feet, in Webster avenue, near Kirkpatrick street, Thirteenth ward, for $4,500.

Margaret C. West sold to A. E. Gregg a lot, 40x110 feet, in Point View avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $600.

John F. Sweeny sold to Ira C. Bell an improved lot, 20x100 feet, on the north side of Montezuma street, Twenty-first ward, for $3,600.

John L. Tritschler sold to Lorenza A. Hotz an improved lot, 20x93 feet on the north side of Idlewild street, Twenty-fourth ward, for $4,150.

Several Small Sales.

George H. Shickler sold to Mrs. Maud L. Boyle an improved lot, 25x100 feet, in Hermitage street, Twenty-first ward, for $4,700.

W. Barnhart sold to W. H. Messenger an improved lot, 50x75 feet, on the north side of Ruth street, Thirty-second ward, for $4,600.

J. W. Barnhart sold to William Virge an improved lot, 25x100 feet, in an unnamed street, between Ruth and Katherine streets, Thirty-second ward, for $2,500. The same seller sold to Austin Byles an improved lot, 25x75 feet, in the same street, for $3,000.

The Fidelity Title and Trust Company, administrator of the estate of J. M. Bailey, sold to L. W. Barnhart a lot 50x150 feet, on the east side of Ruth street, Thirty-second ward, for $1,400. Included 14½@18¢ lbs.

Sarah M. Williams sold to H. S. MacCrery an improved lot, 40x75 feet, at Gray and Prospect streets, Thirty-second ward, for $2,500.

Real estate brokers believe the depression in the stock market which has prevailed for some time will have a beneficial effect upon the realty situation, influencing investors to buy more real estate and invest less in stocks. At all events they are looking for a much brighter business inside of another month.

The Arenson Realty Company sold for M. Mansell to David Solomon a frame store and dwelling, lot 22x110 feet, in Webster avenue, near Kirkpatrick street, for $3,200.

One transaction involving $50,000 and another amounting to about half that amount were just about closed yesterday, and will be ready for the public ear shortly, although negotiations have been carried on with the utmost secrecy up to the present time. Both of the transactions are downtown and the properties are prominently located.

Transfers Recorded.

Miller T N to Frank McCann, Apl 1, '03, 10th wd, Pgh, 60x100, Penn ave..... $5,000
Sadler S P to J F Painter, May 25, '03, 23d wd, Pgh, 25x132, Munson st.....
Kingelberger L to Casper Hualey, June 16, '03, Indiana twp, 11 acres.....
Calvin Ida M to T W McFadden, June 6, '03, Scott twp, 100x110, Shady ave.....
Walsh J V to J A Burkley, Aug 27, '03, Wilkins, 33x110, about half.....
Shickler Geo H to A H Renter, July 20, '03, 13th wd, Ally, 25x100, Hazel st.....
Davis T D to Bendedict Kripp, Aug 26, '03, McKees Rocks, 2 lots.....
Beverly Frank toMinerva Girtz, Aug 1, '03, Shaler twp, lot.....
Royston C J to L M F Zinkand, May 12, '03, 21st wd, Pgh, 25x93, Monticello ave.....
Oskin A L to L F Holtzman, Aug 24, '03, N Braddock, 25x115, Lobingier ave.....
Oskin A L to L F Holtzman, Aug 21, '03, Ruth, 20x100, Page st.....
Oskin A L to L F Holtzman, Aug 21, '03, Braddock, 85x166, Moody st.....
Shickler Geo H to M Grossman, Aug 6, '03, McKees Rocks, lot, 35'.....
Lana Otis B to P T Simpson, June 8, '03, 38th wd, Pgh, 25x102, Eugenia st.....
Maukedick Frank to M E Christie, Feb 26, '03, Coffee, 20x100, Page st.....
Lundie D to Thos A Giles, June 27, '03, 6th wd, McKeesport, 20x100, 10th ave.....
Traders & Mech Sk to P Agostinis, July 15, '03, 10th wd, Ally, 23x126, Bothwell ave.....
Koegler Geo to J C Longhamp, Aug 27, '03, Baldwin twp, 100x185, Carrick ave.....
Proper Lida to Ida B Calvert, June 29, '03, Hampton twp, ½ acre.....
Luebbe C W to Jno Murphy, Feb 14, '03, Sheraden, 25x100, Glenmahr ave.....
Penna Salt Mfg Co to J Neely, Mch 30, '03, Robinson twp, 48x120, Kirkpatrick st.....
Johnson S F to A T Bortz, June 29, '03, N Braddock, 24x119, Hedden ave.....
Bortz W P to Jos Poupel, May 22, '03, Bridgeville, lot.....
Shickler Geo H to N L McCullough, Aug 3, '03, 21st wd, Pgh, 25x90, Hermitage st.....
Paul Robt to Annie Rutrech, June 4, '03, 17th wd, Pgh, 36 Bellefontaine st.....
McGillick F E to Susie B Renton, Aug 8, '03, 21st wd, Pgh, 24x64, Mayflower st.....
Dailey J S to P A Lawyer, July 28, '03, Kilbuck twp, 80x125, Orchard st.....
Brown A M to D Kirchner, Aug 29, '02, Penn twp, 25x170, Baird ave.....
Rago G to C Licitral, Aug 12, '03, Sharpsburg, 18x110, 15th st.....
Ferraro G to G Rago, Aug 12, '03, Sharpsburg, 80x110, Grant ave.....
Jones Dm S to J E Whitmore, Aug 24, '03, Robinson twp, 25x100, Elizabath ave.....
Hubard G to Jno Sturm, July 18, '03, 23d wd, Pgh, 20x148, Folsom st.....
McElhinny J B to A T Moffit, Aug 8, '03, Mifflin twp, 30x115, Parkview ave.....
Stewart F to Maria Stewart, July 31, '03, Avalon, 26x120, California ave.....
Davis A C to Wm H Wilson, Aug 15, '03, East Deer twp, 20x125, Freeport rd.....
Buchmann A to Jno Riess, July 21, '03, Harrison twp, 23x100, Spruce st.....
Beechwood Impt Co Lim to G E Romig, July 30, '03, 23d wd, Pgh, 25x90, Deely st.....
Same to C L Magee, July 30, '03, 23d wd, Pgh, 25x100, Greenfield ave.....
Same to G Tomaino, July 30, '03, 23d wd, Pgh, 25x90, Kelly st.....
Same to C D Fabrizio, Aug 6, '03, 23d wd, Pgh, 28x115, Loretto st.....

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Butter—Receipts, 5,383 packages; steady; state dairy, 14@18c; extra creamery, 19¾c; package stock, 12@14½c; creamery, common to choice, 18@19¼c. Cheese—Receipts, 5,560 packages; steady to firm; state full cream, fancy small colored, 10¼c; small white, 10¼c; large colored, 10c; large white, 9¾c. Eggs—Receipts, 5,615 packages; strong; state and Pennsylvania fancy mixed, 22c; state and Pennsylvania seconds to firsts, 18@20c; western extras, 21c; western seconds to firsts, 17½@20c.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Butter unchanged; creameries, 14@16c; dairies, 13@17c. Cheese steady at 9½@11½c. Eggs firm at mark, cases included, 14½@18½c.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28.—Butter steady and in fair demand; extra western creamery, 20c; extra nearby prints, 21c. Eggs firm and in good demand; fresh nearby, 22c; loss off, do western, 22c; do southwestern, 20@20½c; do fresh southern, 18@18½c. Cheese dull and weak. New York full creams, choice (new), 10¼@10½c; do fair to good (new), 9½@10c.

FLOUR SITUATION RATHER UNSETTLED

Navy Bean Quotations Are Easier—Light Supply of Tomatoes Send Prices Up.

About the only thing in grocery lines which is giving dealers much thought at present is the flour situation, which is somewhat peculiar, inasmuch as a shrinkage in output is reported for the week to Wednesday from the districts where spring wheat is milled is met by a dull demand, which has become more pronounced in eastern sections within the week just closing. On the other hand, according to the Northwestern Miller, Kansas mills have been doing the most satisfactory business of their entire existence. Almost without exception mills in the southwest were provoking all the flour it was possible for them to turn out, and are selling it at a profit. This would make it appear that consumers have to some extent turned their attention from spring wheat flour to winter. Cash spring wheat is scarce, and is held at high prices, so that mills are compelled to hold firm in their askings for flour, but, at the same time, buyers are inclined to hold off but 60 to 90 days ahead and will not purchase except for immediate requirements. In the local market there is an easier feeling in flour quotations, although there is no real room for a drop, as patents are figured very close on cash figures, and jobbers are not making any concessions that can be avoided. While some of the wholesalers report good demand, others say that the buyers are only filling their bins, buying in hand-to-mouth quantities. They claim, and with reason, that Pittsburgh selling prices are not high, but they are above recent averages, and retailers are pursuing a waiting policy while hoping for declines. Navy beans are easier than they were at the opening of the week, and, although nominal quotations are unchanged, they are at times shaded. Sugar is unchanged, and coffee is quiet and firm. Canned corn is steady, with tomatoes are still weak, and are unable to make gains.

There is not much No. 1 grade timothy hay arriving, although a number of cars are coming forward freely. Quotations remain as they have been for several days, and there is a good demand for good grade. Oats are holding their own, in position, unchanged. Mill feed is firm, with the higher prices ruling for several days well maintained.

Fresh tomatoes were in lighter supply yesterday, and quotations made a slight advance. Aside from this fresh vegetable prices were unchanged. Grapes were scarce and went higher, only a few reaching this market. Rockyford cantaloupes have not yet commenced to arrive in anything like any quantity, and the few consignments which reach here find a ready market, with prices uncertain, governed entirely by the amount of the offerings. Tropical fruits are unchanged.

There are no special features in the market for butter, cheese, eggs or poultry, all of which remain as last quoted.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 20 cars hay, 1 car straw, 9 cars oats, 9 cars corn, 8 cars feed, 1 car wheat, 1 car rye; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 4 cars hay, 5 cars oats, 1 car rye; Pittsburgh & Western railroad, 15 cars hay, 1 car straw, 4 cars oats, 1 car oats and bran. Total receipts, 78 cars.

Hay, No. 1 tim-	Rye, No. 2
othy.....$15.75@16.00	Mich.....85½@86c
do No. 2.$12.50@13.00	White middlings, No.
No. 1 clov.$10.50@11.00	2, ton.$22.00@22.50
do No. 2.$9.00@10.00	do brown.$21.00@22.00
No. 1 mix.$11.50@12.00	Bran, ton...$18.00@18.50
Loose from	Wheat, No. 2
wagon.$15.00@17.00	red.....75@80c
Straw, oat..$6.50@7.00	Corn, No. 2 yellow,
do wheat..$6.50@7.00	shelled.....60@61c
do Rye....$8.00@8.50	High mix.....58@59c
Oats, No. 2	No. 2 mix.....56@57c
white.....33½@40c	No. 2 yel. ear.....59@60c
do No. 3....35½@36c	High mix.....61@63c
do No. 4....37½@38c	

GROCERIES.

Flour—	ton bags.....5.25c
Fancy spr. p.$5.05@5.15	do powdered.....5.25c
Fancy win. pat..$3.90@	do pow'dr. 4xxx...5.50c
Straight win.$3.40@3.60	do cubes.....5.25c
Bakers spr..$3.40@3.60	do cut loaf.....5.60c
Rye.....$3.55@3.60	do coff. A.....5.00c
Graham.....$3.00@3.60	No. 1 yellow.....4.75c
Cornmeal, bbl....$3.25	No. 2 yellow..4.70c
do 10-lb cotton	No. 3 yellow..4.65c
bags.....18@19c	Beans—
Rolled oats, bbl. $5.50	Marrow, bu.....$3.00@3.10
do bags.....$2.00	Navy, H. P..$2.25@2.35
Roasted Coffee—	Navy, limp...$2.20@2.25
Rio.....9½@12c	Red kidney...$2.40@2.50
Santos...22½@24½c	Cal. lima.....5@5¼c
Maracaibo....17@17½c	Peas, dried
Peaberry.....17@18c	bu split.....$1.70@1.75
Golden Rio...15½@16c	do split, lb.....4c

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1	Mackerel, No. 2.
Extra, bbl....$30.00	do bbl.....$14.00
do half bbls...$15.50	do half bbls...$8.50
do quar. bbls...$8.00	do quar. bbls...$5.00
Mackerel, No. 1	do 10-lb. pails...$2.25
Shore, bbls....$26.00	do 5-lb. pails...$1.15
do half bbls...$13.50	Lake herring, 100
do quar. bbls...$6.75	lbs.....$3.75
do 10-lb pails...$2.15	do 50-lb. quar...$1.40
do 10-lb pails...$1.45	do 10-lb.....$1.00

SEEDS.

Clover, from store,	Alfalfa.....$8.50@9.00
Reclaned, 60-lb	Millet.....$1.25@1.50
bu small $7.85@7.95	Grass, Hungar-
do mam-	ian.....90c@$1.10
moth.....$8.00@8.10	do lawn, lb...10@10c
do cotton-	do lawn, bu...$1.50@
son.....$4.75@5.00	$1.75
do white	do red top,
Dutch.$10.00@20.00	14-lb bu...$1.10@2.00
Alsike.....$8.75@9.00	Timothy.....$1.65@1.75

POULTRY.

Live hens, lb...12@13c	Roosters.....10@11c
Live spring...17@18c	Turkeys, fresh
Roosters.....7@7c	dressed.....20c
Turkeys.....15@16c	do frozen.....17@22c
Geese.....6@10c	Ducks.....14c
Ducks.....8@10c	do spring.....18@20c
Dressed hens..13@16c	Capon, lb.....22c
Dressed spring.16@17c	L. I. ducks.....20c
Roasters.....17c	

TROPICAL FRUITS.

Lemons, Mes-	Bananas, ins.$1.75@2.25
sina.....$4.00@4.50	do 2ds.....$1.50@1.75
do Verdelli.$3.00@3.50	Pineapples,
Limes, per 100...$1.00	crate.....$4.00@4.50
Oranges, California,	Plums, California,
Val.....$2.75@4.00	box.....$1.50@2.00
do California,	Pears, California,
seedlings.$2.25@2.75	box.....$2.00@2.60
Cocoanuts, bags, $2.50	Grapes, Cal.
Peaches, California,	Malaga.....$1.50
box.....$1.00@1.25	do Tokay...$2.25@2.50
	do seedless.$2.50@3.00

PRODUCE

Potatoes, Louis-	do bu bsk.$1.00@1.25
ville....$1.75@2.00	do home, bu.....$1.00
do N. J....$2.00@2.25	Carrots, doz.
do new, doz...60@65c	bchs.....75c
Sweets, red, $2.50@2.75	String beans,
do yellow.$2.50@2.75	bu.....50@60c
do bu.....90c	Cauliflower,
Turnips, bu...15@20c	doz.....$2.00@2.25
Onions, bbl. $2.00@2.25	Rhubarb, doz....20@25c
do hamp.....$1.00@1.25	Watercress, doz...15@20c
do home grown,	Tomatoes
bu.....$1.00@1.25	do St. Louis
Cabbage, new,	crate.....85c@$1.00
bbls.....$1.50@1.75	do home,
	crate.....$1.00@1.25
	do Md. hmp..40@50c
	Brussels sprouts,
	quart.....12@14c

DRIED FRUITS.

Apricots, evap-	Raisins, Muscatel,
bags.....7½@11c	2 and 4 crown
do 25-lb	50-lb boxes...7@8c
boxes....8¼@11½c	do Gudara
Apples, bulk..6¾@7½c	Val.....9¾@10c
do 1-lb pkg.	do Cal. Val....7½c
tins.....7½@8¼c	Currants, cleaned,
Peaches .....9@12c	25 and 50-lb
Raspberries .26@27½c	pkge.....6½@7c
Raisins, seeded,	Prunes .....8½@10c
1-lb pkgs..9¼@10¼c	

Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The demand for dry goods has been more insistent for quick deliveries of spot goods, but buyers are not speculating on the future. The possibilities of the next few weeks are too great to admit of any shipping of consequence for nothing more than is absolutely necessary. Predictions of a scarcity of goods are numerous, but these do not frighten buyers out of their conservatism.

The Live Stock Market.

HERRS ISLAND STOCK YARDS.

Friday, August 28, 1903.

Cattle—Supply light; market slow; best weathers, 95 to 100 lbs., $3 30@3 60; good mixed, 85 to 90 lbs., $3 00@3 25; fair, 75 to 80 lbs., $2 60@2 90; culls and common, $2 00@2 50; spring lambs, $3 50@5 00; veal calves, $6 25@7 25; heavy and thin, $4 00@4 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 15 double decks; market active; prime heavy hogs, $3 75@3 80; mediums, $3 75@3 80; heavy Yorkers, $3 75; light Yorkers, $3 70@3 75; pigs, $3 70@3 75; roughs, $4 00@3 25.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,200 head; 1,150 head Texans; market strong; unfarmed westerns and quarantines steady; native cows slow; stockers and feeders slow, weak. Choice export and dressed beef steers, $4 65@5 00; fair to good, $4 10@4 65; stockers and feeders, $2 40@4 00; western fed steers, $2 75@4 45. Texas and Indian steers, $2 75@3 60. Texas cows, $2 15@3 00; native cows, $1 25@3 00; native heifers, $2 10@4 00; canners, $1 00@2 40; bulls, $1 75@3 10; calves, $2 25@5 50. Hogs—Receipts, 8,500 head. Packers steady to strong; light, 5c higher; top, $3 95; bulk of sales, $3 45@3 70; heavy, $3 25@3 50; mixed packers, $3 47½@3 67½; light, $3 00@3 85. Yorkers, $3 85@3 87½; pigs, 25 @@3 85. Sheep—Receipts, 500 head; market steady. Native lambs, $3 00@5 25; western lambs, $4 00@5 15; fed ewes, $2 00@4 00; Texas clipped yearlings, $3 60@4 10; Texas clipped sheep, $2 40@3 40; wethers and feeders, $3 00@3 75.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Beeves—Receipts, 4,060 head; slow; good steers steady to strong, others dow to 10c lower; bulls steady; thin cows, 25@50c lower, others steady. Native steers, $4 25@5 40; Western steers, half breds, $4 00@4 20; bulls, $2 15@4 10; cows, $1 25@3 65. Calves quoted live cattle from 11½ to 12¼c per pound dressed weight, tops, 12½c.

Sheep steady; refrigerator beef firmer at 8½c per pound. Exports, 794 head cattle and 3,000 sheep. Receipts, 2,400 head cattle, 5,000 dressed beef sheep and 3,347 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 32 head. Good veals steady, all other calves lower. Veals, $4 25@5 00; culls, $4 00; grassers and buttermilks, $3 75; good to choice western, $4 00@5 00; 2 cars unsold. City dressed veals, $6 00@8 00; 2 cars unsold. City dressed sheep, $6 00@7 00; dressed lambs, $8 00@9 00. Hogs—Receipts, 6,000 head; lambs, 20 to 30c off. Sheep, 10c off. Hogs, 5c off. Sheep and lambs, $3 75@4 00; lambs, $4 50@5 00; prime sheep, $4 25@4 50; Canada lambs, $5 00@5 25; hogs—Receipts, 12,000 head; no sales on live weight; nominally lower.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,500 head; steady. Good to prime steers, $5 30@6 00; medium to good, $4 00@5 25; stockers and feeders, $2 50@4 00; cows, $1 50@4 40; heifers, $2 00@4 60; canners, $1 50@2 40; bulls, $2 00@4 00; calves, $3 00@6 75; Texas fed steers, $3 00@4 60; western steers, $3 25@4 50. Hogs—Receipts today, 8,000 head; estimated tomorrow, 9,000 head. Market 10@15c higher. Mixed and butchers, $3 20@3 80; good to choice, $3 45@3 65; rough heavy, $3 20@3 30; light, $3 40@3 70; bulk of sales, $3 25@3 60. Sheep—Receipts, 2,500 head. Sheep and lambs steady. Good to choice wethers, $3 00@3 75; fair to choice mixed, $2 25@3 00; native lambs, $3 00@5 75.

Policeman Kennedy Reinstated.

Policeman John A. Kennedy, who was dismissed from the Pittsburgh police force about two weeks ago, returned to work yesterday afternoon. Trouble arose between Kennedy and Capt. Matthew Gorman, in which blows were struck and Kennedy was let out. An investigation was made by the police board, Police Inspector Stewart Wednesday ordered the officer to report in uniform yesterday afternoon, when he did and he was sent out on the beat.

The Farmers Deposit Savings bank, corner Fifth avenue and Wood street, opens for business Saturday, August 29. Why not be one of its first depositors? Saturday until 9 p. m. 4 per cent interest paid.

WHEAT CLOSED LOWER IN CHICAGO MARKET

Corn Was Weak, While Oats Closed Firm at an Advance. Provisions Steady.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Wheat opened rather strong, influenced by the rains in the northwest yesterday, and from northwest markets. St. Louis bought wheat here and this also helped the early upward tendency. September opened unchanged to ½c higher at 81¼@81½c, and early ruled about steady. Trade rather sold up from 82¾c to 82¾c. Elevator interests led the buying and seemed quite a following, but the strength did not hold, local selling on the advance causing a break in September to 80¾c, where it rallied to final closing barely steady at 81¼@81¾c, a shade under yesterday's final figure. December closed at the bottom price for the day, 81¾c, a loss of ¾@¾c. The weakness was due more to the character of the selling than to lack of buying orders or weather crop influences. Cables were a depressing influence and receipts show a fair increase. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 269 cars, which with local receipts of 144 cars, 16 of contract grade, made a total for the three points of 485 cars, against 261 last week and 617 a year ago.

There was scattered selling in the corn pit throughout the session, and while there was a good buyer at 56¾@57c, the quantity taken was not enough to support the market. There was a little show of strength early with wheat, but the close showed September down ¾@¾c at 56¾@56¾c, a shade above the low point of the day, after touching 56¼c. December closed ¾@¾c lower at 56¾@57c, ranging between 56¾c and 57¼c. Little interest was manifested in the market and trading was dull. Local receipts 256 cars with 71 of contract grade.

Local lines continued to sell oats. There was an improved demand from cash houses and the market showed a better tone after an easy opening, the outcome being a net advance for the day of ¼c per bushel, at 36c and with December a shade higher at 36¼@36¾c. Reports of damage to crops caused the better feeling. Cash demand was good. Local receipts were 237 cars.

A strong tone to the market and a report of considerable cash lard was taken for export caused some strength to the provision market. There was also covering by shorts and goods to brokers and foreign houses. The other cash markets were unchanged. Pork, unchanged, $12 50; lard, 5c higher at $7 15@7 25, and short ribs unchanged at $7 52½@7 60.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 225 cars; corn, 200 cars; oats, 200 cars; hogs, 8,000 head.

The leading futures, reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago Board of Trade, Farmers Bank building, are as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT					
Sept.	81¼	81¾	80¾	81¼	81¾
Dec.	82¾	82¾	81¾	82¾	83¼
May	84¾	84¾	84¼	84¾	85¼
CORN.					
No. 2					
Sept.	56¾	56¾	56¼	56¾	57¼
Dec.	57	57¼	56¾	57	57¾
May	57¾	57¾	57¼	57¾	58¼
OATS.					
No. 2					
Sept.	34¾	36¾	34¾	36¾	36¾
Dec.	36¼	36¾	36¼	36¾	36¾
May	37¾	38	37¾	38	38
MESS PORK.					
Sept.	12 65	12 67½	12 50	12 50	
Jan.	13 75	13 85	13 70	13 80	
LARD.					
Sept.	7 27½	7 30	7 25	7 27½	
Jan.	6 90	6 90	6 80	6 85	
SHORT RIBS.					
Sept.	7 45	7 45	7 40	7 40	
Jan.	7 00	7 00	6 90	6 90	

Flour steady. No. 2 spring wheat, 3d; 80¾@81¾c. No. 3 spring wheat, 78@81c. No. 2 red, 82¾@83¾c. Corn steady; No. 2, 57¼@57¾c. No. 2 yellow, 57¾@58¼c. Oats steady; No. 2, 36¾@36¾c; No. 3 white, 36¾@37¾c. Barley steady. Timothy seed steady. Clover, contract grade, $8 20. Pork steady, $12 50@12 60. Lard steady, $7 25@7 27½. Ribs steady, $7 40@7 45. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, 6¾@6¾c; extra short clears, $7 12½@7 25; ribs, $7 37½@7 50; short clears, $7 50@7 62½. Whisky, on basis of high wines, $1 26.

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NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade tomorrow will say:

There is still no indication of depression to be found in the country, and this pecuniary condition would follow the decline in securities. Conservatism was developed by the unfavorable reports on the wheat crop, financial complications, the fear of labor disturbances, and the fact that business was overdone, and the more cautious purchases of business since promise of permanent evils. Weak spots have been discovered and the material position grows stronger. Failures for the week have been 214, against 207 last year, and 189 in 1901. Southern reports offer a period of inflated prices of commodities bring some loss, yet the outlook seems to be brightened by the removal of threatening conditions in the iron industry. Wool sales at Boston have been 4,000,000 pounds, with prices unchanged and the clothing trade reported to be in the most important condition of a generation to avoid difficulties in case of prosperity in the steel industry. It is estimated that a large tonnage of structural material will be stopped for 30 days or more, although this is to a large degree determined on the attitude of labor organizations. The railways are still behind with their equipment, especially as to cars, but are afraid to refuse business, and although the volume of traffic is very much in excess of earnings

JEWISH GAZE IS TOWARD AFRICA

Zionist Congress at Basle, Switzerland, Chooses Committee of Inquiry.

BRANCH IN NEW YORK CITY

Prof. Gottheil, Dr. Stephen Wise and Jacob De Haas, Three Americans, Elected to Membership of Committee to Investigate the New Promised Land.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BASLE, AUG. 28.—The Zionist congress had been working strenuously until 2 o'clock this morning and the delegates and leaders were wearied today. The directors of the Colonial Trust authorized the establishment of a permanent branch in New York. A thousand dollars was subscribed for the East Africa commission. The voting on membership of the committee proceeded amidst excitement. The American federation was upheld.

Among the Americans elected to the committee were Prof. Gotthiel, Dr. Stephen Wise and Jacob DeHaas. The closing words of the congress were pronounced by Rabbi Margulies of Florence and Dr. Herzel. The congress closed with a pledge of continued faithfulness to the Zionists of Palestine. The vast audience sang the Jewish national hymn and the congress then ended.

Prof. Mandelstamm of Kieff, discussing the Von Plehwe letter, said: "Although the terrible position of the Russian Jew is clear, still it is worth while, as showing that a state so important in Turkish matters has nothing against Zionism, even though it does wish to get rid of the Jews.

"The opposition of my countrymen to the East Africa proposition is the fruit of unripe political schooling and based solely on feeling. It is impossible to reject without examination the first proposal made the Zionists by a great government. It is wrong to hold that we can wait. Only those who can wait are in a position to do so. When hungry and cold men do not think. Some Zionists seem to fear that East Africa will not prove fruitful. On the contrary, if we do well there, more will turn to Zionism.

"Most Zionists live in western Europe and America, where conditions of life are better than ours. It is better for people forced to leave their country to concentrate where autonomy under English rule is possible instead of being dispersed and mostly lost to Judaism."

Zangwill said to me: "The sixth Zionist congress has shown that the heart of the Russian Jew is set on Palestine, although America may become the refuge of the overflow of Russian Jews and relieve the congestion.

"Regarding the attitude of Russia it is impossible to stifle Zionism there. Russia's desires for homogeneity is unrighteous from a moral point of view, but if the government takes that view there is nothing for us to do but remove the Jews from the country. This has been the most momentous of all Zionist congresses."

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LARGE AMOUNT OF COAL WILL GO SOUTH TODAY

Good Stage of Water Expected in the Rivers, and 6,000,000 Bushels Probably Will Be Shipped—Tows Are Ready.

A coal boat stage on the rivers is due this morning, and all was hustle among the rivermen yesterday. Crews were being hired and sent to steamers lying in the upper Ohio river and in the harbor, and crowds of men were on every corner. The big towboats of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company tied up to the company's wharfboat in turn and took on stores for the prospective trip. In fact, the river put on a prosperous appearance in every way, and by this evening 6,000,000 bushels of coal will have passed Davis island dam unless something unforeseen happens.

The rise was sudden and unlooked for until yesterday morning. The recent rains were heavy up the Allegheny river, and the Monongahela is also contributing heavily to swell the waters of the upper Ohio. Rivermen were not caught napping, and nearly every company has coal to send out. The Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company will send out 300 barges, C. Jutte & Co. will send out two tows, the Budd Coal Co. one tow and the Clyde Coal Company and Flint Coal Company one tow. Almost all this coal can be got out on a barge stage and a much bigger shipment will be made today if the river reaches 11 feet, as predicted by many. The Davis island dam was put down yesterday afternoon, and all is in readiness to let the immense fleet out at daybreak today.

The following steamers are ready to leave today with the number of pieces noted: Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company, Beaz, James Moren, Iron Age, Sam Clark and Coal City, 22 barges each. Sam Brown, Tom Rees, Ed Roberts, Joe Walton, Ironsides, Cruiser, Enterprise, John Moren, Fallie, Dave Wood and J. C. Risher, 17 barges each. C. Jutte Coal Company will send out two tows with the steamers Crescent and G. W. Thomas, the tows being made up according to the height of the water. The Budd Coal Co. will send out seven boats and five barges with the Frank Gilmore, and the W. F. Flint will take out a tow belonging to the Flint and Clyde Coal companies.

The Mariner, Jim Wood and Tom Dodsworth are hurrying in and may be able to get away with tows. All the steamers which have been tied up along the banks have had crews sent to them, and they will hurry in, bringing many empties, which are much needed at the mines.

Not only will the river coal companies resume operation, but the packet lines will probably start their packets from the down-river ports. Samuel Patterson, agent for the Charleston, Parkersburg and Zanesville packets, said yesterday that he would know today whether the packets would run. He believed that they would resume operation even though the rise would let them make trips for only a short time. The Cincinnati packets will have all had their repairs and they may make a few trips.

GOVERNMENT EDUCATES NATIVE FILIPINOS

Brought to United States, but Must Afterwards Enlist in Service.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

MANILA, Aug. 28.—The new educational bill has just become a law. It appropriates the sum of $72,600 to cover the expenses of the first year. It further provides that 100 of the best qualified students, securing at least 75 per cent on each subject, at an annual examination to be held in each school district, shall have the privilege of going to the United States to complete their education at institutions to be designated by the government.

The competition is, moreover, limited to the pupils of public schools and to Filipinos of from 16 to 21 years of age and physically sound. These students are required to take the oath of allegiance, promising with the approval of their parents, to faithfully study for the full course and upon returning to the Philippines to take a civil service examination, accepting later, if successful, an appointment under the government for a period equalling that which they spent in study in the United States. It is estimated that each student will cost the government $500 annually, exclusive of their transportation.

PRIEST TO BE PRISONER IN TRAPPIST MONASTERY

DENVER, COL., Aug. 28.—The announcement is made by Bishop Metz, of the Catholic church of Colorado, that Father Cushing, who has earned much notoriety for his fight upon the bishop during the past 12 years, has been ordered by Archbishop Falconi, the apostolic delegate, to go to the Trappist monastery at Gethsemane, where he will be practically a prisoner for the balance of his life. Bishop Metz will pay all of his expenses. Father Cushing is between 50 years of age, and is broken in health.

The Farmers Deposit Savings Bank, corner Fifth avenue and Wood street, opens for business Saturday, August 29. Why not be one of its first depositors? Saturday until 9 p. m. 4 per cent interest paid.

CIGAR AND TOBY MAKERS ASK FOR AN ADVANCE

Want an Increase of from 25 to 50 Cents a Thousand by September 7.

The cigar and toby makers of this district are asking for an advance in wages, taking action similar to that of the workmen in Wheeling and Connellsville, who were granted a raise. The local workmen are confident their demands will be granted.

The United Cigar Makers' league assembly No. 1374, Knights of Labor, met yesterday and prepared the scale of wages. It also adopted a resolution that the scale is to become effective on Labor day, September 7. It calls for an increase of from 25 to 50 cents per thousand.

The scale is fixed on the basis for the workmen to pay for having the tobacco leaf stripped, which is generally done by girls. Should the manufacturer take charge of the strippers, then 25 cents will be deducted from each size.

The local presenting the scale was organized in 1879, being the first to be instituted in Western Pennsylvania. Besides being a Knights of Labor organization it is affiliated with the United Labor league. Only a few men at the trade are not members of the assembly, and they themselves conduct factories.

CLEVELAND REFUSES TO DISCUSS RACE QUESTION

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—(Special.)—In response to a request from the Evening Post that he state his position on the question of negro suffrage, former President Grover Cleveland has sent a reply declining to enter into such a discussion. Mr. Cleveland's letter says: "I am not willing to take from my vacation the time necessary to answer these questions in a thorough manner—even if I were inclined to enter into the discussion invited by your request."

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NEGRO QUESTION AT CHAUTAUQUA

Dr. Samuel Clarke Discusses Life and Work of Wendell Phillips.

COUNTRY OWES MUCH TO HIM

George Willis Cook Completes Scholarly Course of Lectures—Socialism Would Make a Man of Every Man and Give Him a Chance.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHAUTAUQUA, N. Y., Aug. 28.—Two so-called biographical lectures on the program today proved to be discussions of questions of general interest. Dr. Samuel Clarke's theme this morning was "Wendell Phillips," and the lecture rightly belonged to the mob conference week. Dr. Clarke is a family connection of the great abolitionist and related many private recollections that have never been published but when he gave the orator's views on the negro question, and supplemented them by his own, he met with some opposition in the audience.

"Wendell Phillips," he said, "did more to prepare the way for the freedom of the slaves than any other man, and the generation of today is reaping the fruits of his labors. He said the American people underestimated the race for which he was laboring. And today we underestimate these people, and the Americans will die hard in reversing their opinion of this estimate.

"Lynching is not the hardest question we have to solve. It is what to do with the negro. Must he always be told to move on? We need the voice of a Wendell Phillips to teach us justice. Why has not his mantle fallen on some one? Has Africa no great leader who will find a place for the people? Wendell Phillips died without a blemish on his escutcheon. The American people have already been very tardy in recognizing the worth of this great man, but his name will loom up as a typical American citizen."

Dr. Clarke then showed a portrait of Phillips and asked those of his hearers who were in sympathy with his views to rise and give the Chautauqua salute out of respect to this most heroic missionary the world has ever seen. It was noticed that a few of the audience remained seated.

George Willis Cook completed today what has been a most scholarly course of lectures on literary interpretations of socialism, the particular subject being William Morris. At the close of the lecture Mr. Cook gave some of his own views on the subject. He said:

"Socialism is one of the strongest tendencies of our times. Individualism and socialism must forever belong together. Its highest hope is that it shall make of every man a man and give him a chance. If the millions spent in maintaining jails and penitentiaries were spent in education the prisons would soon be closed, because there would be no need of them."

Tonight will be given the last concert of the season, the orchestra and soloists appearing for the last time, except the Sunday evening song service.

COLLAPSE OF A CEILING CAUSED PANIC IN MEETING

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28.—While several hundred ingrain carpet weavers were holding a meeting today in a hall in Kensington, the ceiling collapsed, injuring a half dozen of those present, but none seriously. There were a number of women in the hall and they became panic-stricken. Previous to the accident the meeting unanimously voted to remain on strike.

Sims' Appointment Announced.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—The department of commerce and labor announces the appointment of Edwin W. Sims as special attorney in the bureau of corporations. He has been practicing law in Chicago for the past 16 years and has been county attorney of Cook county since 1901.

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THE AUGUST MAGAZINES. So plentiful the pictures, so authentic the information, and so pleasing the way in which the details are given that you will know all that's needful about the correct fall fashions in Millinery, Cloaks, Suits, Waists and Children's Clothing, if you read the September number of the Ladies' Home Journal. (Price 10c.) Lots of good things in the other September Magazines—Munsey's, McClure's, Pearson's and Cosmopolitan at 10c; Harper's, Century and The Smart Set. All in now.

THE NEW FALL BELTS. We have just received from New York the first of the new Autumn Belts—Peau de Sole and Taffeta Silk Belts in gracefu folds, Elastic Belts and a variety of Black Braided Belts. Most of them have buckles and clasps in the old German Silver finish that is now the vogue.

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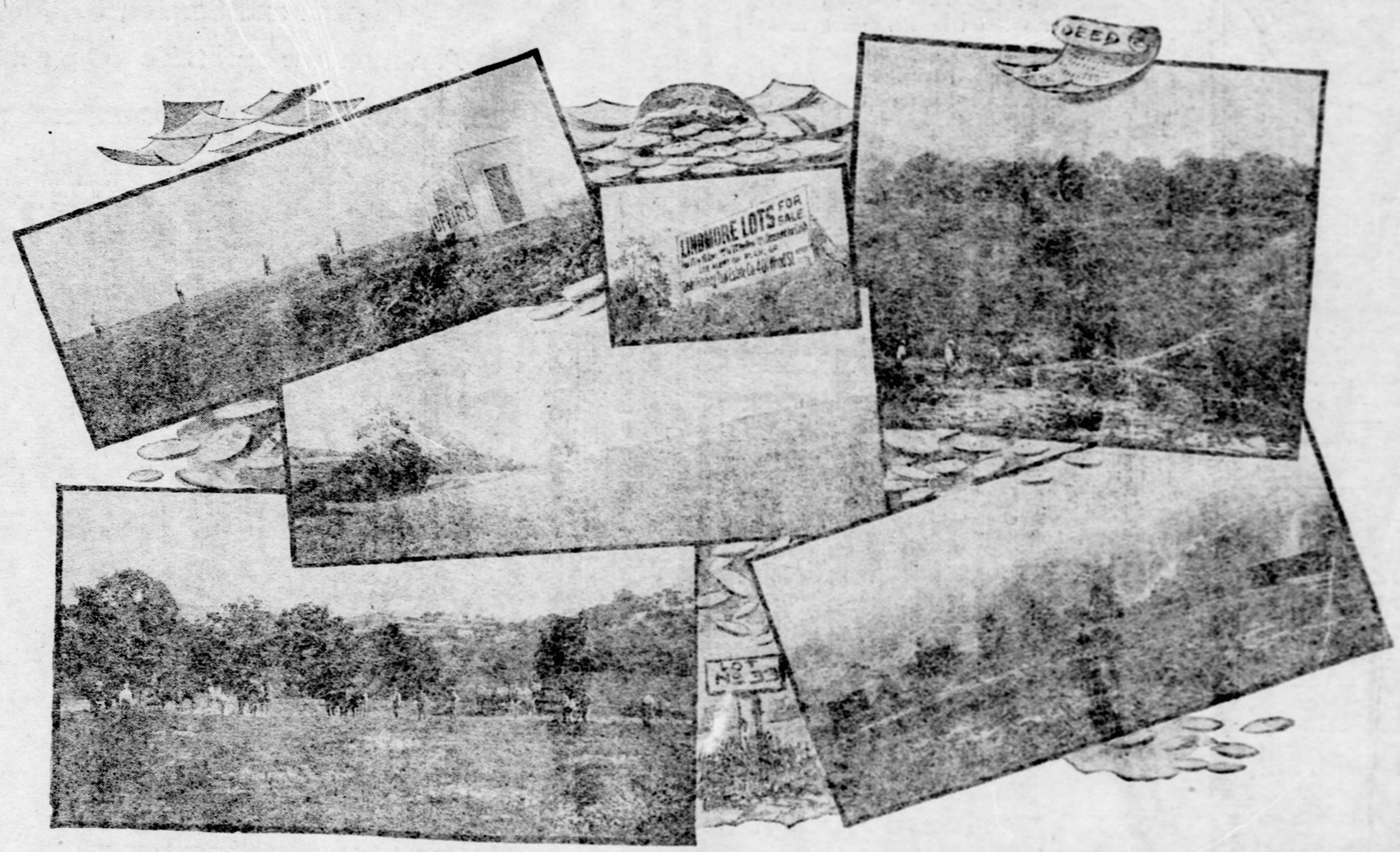

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